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A Tentative List

WORLD WAR I TOKENS OF FRANCE

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DURING and immediately after World War I, many European countries experienced a shortage of minor coins. The remedy adopted, in many cases, was to permit the circulation of privately issued tokens and coins, minted by cities or groups of cities. These coins were issued in the baser metals such as iron, tin, zinc, and aluminum. They were not accepted universally but usually were good only in the city where issued or its immediate environs. Most of them bear the statement that they would be redeemed only before a certain date, which usually was only a few years beyond the date of issue.

While the German notgeld has received considerable attention, virtually nothing has been published, in English, that covers the French war issues. The writer has listed the French war issues in her collection. These are only a small percentage of the series but even a small list is a beginning and may stimulate interest. The writer will be pleased to hear from collectors who possess coins in this series that are not on the list.

ALBI (TARN)

1. 5 centimes (no date). Obv., crowned red shield between two sprays. Church with a patriarch's cross atop. Right upper corner, moon. Left, wheel. Above VILLE D'ALBI. Below TARN. Rev., VALABLE • JUSQU'AU 31 DECEMBRE 1920. Blue 5¢ in field. Iron, octagonal, 23 mm.
2. 10 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Iron, octagonal, 28 mm.
3. 25 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Iron, square, 24x24 mm.

ALGERIA

(Chamber of Commerce)

4. 5 centimes 1916. Obv., CHAMBRE DE COMMERCE D'ALGER * 1916 * Caduceus flanked by two palm trees in beaded circle. Rev., 5¢ between oak and olive branches. Aluminum, 26 mm.
5. 10 centimes 1916. Similar to above. Aluminum, 30 mm.
6. 10 centimes 1916. Similar to above. Iron, 30 mm.
7. 5 centimes 1917. Similar to above. Zinc, 26 mm.
8. 10 centimes 1917. Similar to above. Zinc, 30 mm.
9. 10 centimes 1918. Similar to above. Aluminum, 30 mm.
10. 5 centimes 1919. Similar to above. Aluminum, 27 mm.
11. 10 centimes 1919. Similar to above. Brass, 30 mm.
12. 5 centimes 1921. Similar to above. Aluminum, 27 mm.
13. 10 centimes 1921. Similar to above. Aluminum, 30 mm.

AMIENS (SOMME)



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14. 10 centimes 1920. Obv., shield, upper part fleur-de-lis on blue field, lower part, nettle leaves on red field, supported by unicorns standing on fancy scroll. 1920 below. Turreted crown above shield. AMIENS on crown. Rev., CHAMBRE DE COMMERCE • AMIENS • Blue 10¢. J. BORY in small letters. Aluminum, 27 mm.
15. 25 centimes 1920. Similar to above. Aluminum, 30 mm.

16. 5 centimes 1921. Similar to above. THEVENON instead of J. BORY. Aluminum, 21 mm.
17. 10 centimes 1921. Similar to above. Aluminum, 28 mm.
18. 25 centimes 1921. Similar to above. Aluminum, 30 mm.
19. 5 centimes 1922. Similar except smaller shield. Aluminum, 21 mm.

ANNONAY (ARDECHE)

20. 5 centimes 1918. Obv., crowned checkerboard shield with ribbon streamers. GIVES ET SEMPER GIVES on ribbon. ANNONAY above. ARDECHE below. Rev., UNION COMMERCIALE & INDUSTRIELLE * 5¢ in center. 1918 below. Aluminum, 20 mm.
21. 5 centimes 1918. Similar to above. Brass, 20 mm.
22. 10 centimes 1918. Similar to above. Aluminum, 24 mm.
23. 10 centimes 1918. Similar to above. Brass, 24 mm.
24. 25 centimes 1918. Similar to above. Aluminum, 27 mm.
25. 25 centimes 1918. Similar to above. Brass, 27 mm.

ARCUEIL-CACHAN (SEINE)

26. 5 centimes (n.d.) Obv., OFFICE D'APPROVISIONEMENT • ARCUEIL-CACHAN 0,05 in field. Rev., blank. Aluminum, 24 mm.
27. 10 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Aluminum, octagonal, 24 mm.

AUCH (GERS)

28. 5 centimes 1916. Obv., ornate shield. Paschal lamb carrying cross and banner on red field in dexter, lion rampant on silver field in sinister. AUGUSTA AUSCORUM. Rev., VILLE D'AUCH cross 1916 cross. 5¢ in field. Aluminum, 24 mm.
29. 25 centimes 1916. Similar to above. Aluminum, square with rounded corners, 24x24 mm.
30. 10 centimes 1917. Similar to above. Aluminum, 28 mm.

BARBAIRA (AUDE)

31. 5 centimes (n.d.) Obv., UNION DES COMMERCEANTS DE BARBAIRA * triangle * 5¢ in field. Rev., large 5 in beaded circle. Aluminum, 22 mm.
32. 10 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Aluminum, 25 mm.

BAYONNE (BASSES-PYRENEES)

33. 5 centimes 1917. Obv., CHAMBRE DE COMMERCE. In field, three masted schooner. In exergue BAYONNE below 1917. Rev., REMBOURSABLE AVANT 1922. 5¢ in center. Iron, 21 mm.
34. 10 centimes 1917. Similar to above. Iron, 25 mm.
35. 10 centimes 1920. Obv., three masted schooner in field. Above CHAMBRE DE COMMERCE DE BAYONNE. Below VICENT FIDE 1920. Rev., CHAMBRE DE COMMERCE (in tiny letters J. BORY) BAYONNE. 10 in field. Aluminum, octagonal, 19 mm.
36. 25 centimes 1920. Similar to above. Aluminum, octagonal, 22 mm.
37. 50 centimes 1920. Obv., similar to above. Rev., beaded circle around 50. A. BORY below the 50. Aluminum, octagonal, 25 mm.

BERNAY (EURE)

38. 5 centimes 1921. Obv., UNION COMMERCIALE ET INDUSTRIELLE DE BERNAY • 1921 • Beneath date A. Crowned shield in field, lion rampant on blue field. Rev., 5¢, grape leaves with four grapes below. To left THEVENON in tiny letters. Zinc. 21 mm.
39. 10 centimes 1921. Similar to above. Aluminum, 26 mm.

BESANCON (DOUBS)

40. 5 centimes 1917. Obv., separated diagonally, on left side scene showing bridge over river, olive branches above. On right side, VILLE / DE / BESANCON / 5 CENTES in four lines. Rev., eagle with head to left holding upright pillar in each claw. 1917 above eagle. Aluminum, square with rounded corners, 20x20 mm.
41. 5 centimes 1917. Same as above except gilded. Square with rounded corners, 20x20 mm.
42. 10 centimes 1917. Similar to above. Aluminum, square with rounded corners, 22x22 mm.



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43. 10 centimes 1917. Same as above except gilded. Square with rounded corners, 22x22 mm.

BEZIERS (HERAULT)

(Private Issues)

44. 10 centimes (n.d.) Obv., SYNDICAT DES LIMONADIERS * BEZIERS * 10¢ in field. Rev., large 10¢. Bronze, 30 mm.
 45. 10 centimes (n.d.) Obv., FOURNEAUX POPULAIRES * BEZIERS * In field LA SOLIDARITE. Rev., 10 CENTIMES in beaded circle. Brass, scalloped, 26 mm.
 46. 10 centimes 1921. Obv., SOCIETE DU GRAND CAFE GLACIER BEZIERS in five lines. To the left Caduceus, with 19 on left and 21 on right. Rev., between sprays of oak and laurel, 10 CENTIMES, at top BON POUR. Aluminum, scalloped, 22 mm.



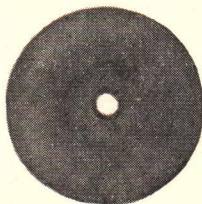
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47. 25 centimes 1921. Obv., crowned shield. Three fleur-de-lis on blue field at top. Below, four silver and three red stripes. Shield between sprays, 1921 below. SOCIETE DU GRAND CAFE GLACIER * BEZIERS. Rev., 25 CENT in field, cornucopia below, BON POUR above, THEVENON at edge. Aluminum, scalloped, 26 mm.
 48. 25 centimes 1921. Similar but not scalloped. Aluminum, 26 mm.

BILLANCOURT (SEINE)

(Private Issues)

49. 10 centimes (n.d.) Obv., VALABLE SEULEMENT (cross) DANS NOTRE SOCIETE (cross). 10¢ in field. Rev., SOCIETE COOPERATIVE DES USINES (cross) RENAULT (cross) 10¢ in field. Aluminum, 30 mm.



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50. ½ litre (n.d.) Obv., RENAULT ½ LITRE DE BOISSON. Hole in center, automobile above, two sprays of oak leaves below. Rev., blank. Brass, 27 mm.

BLOIS (LOIR-ET-CHER)

51. 10 centimes 1918. Obv., six petal rosette, VILLE DE BLOIS six petal rosette, CHAMBRE DE COMMERCE. In field, crowned shield, fleur-de-lis on blue field, shield supported by salamander on left and dog on right. Rev., SYNDICAT INDUSTRIEL ET COMMERCIAL * In three lines in field 10 CENT 1918. Aluminum, 24 mm.



52. 20 centimes 1918. Similar to above. Aluminum, 26 mm.
53. 20 centimes 1918. Similar to above. Bronze, 26 mm.
54. 5 centimes 1922. Similar to above. Aluminum, 20 mm.
55. 10 centimes 1922. Similar to above. Aluminum, 24 mm.

BONE (ALGERIA)

56. 5 centimes (n.d.) Obv., CHAMBRE / DE / COMMERCE / DE / BONE in five lines. Top and bottom lines curved, in beaded circle. Rev., 5¢ in beaded circle. Aluminum, 25 mm.
57. 10 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Aluminum, 29 mm.
58. 50 centimes (n.d.) Obv., Liberty head facing left between laurel branches. REPUBLIQUE FRANCAISE Rev. CHAMBRE DE COMMERCE * DE BONE * 50¢ in center. Brass, 19 mm.
59. 50 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. German silver, 19 mm.
60. 1 franc (n.d.) Obv., similar to above. Rev., similar to above except denomination, 1 FR in center. Brass, 23 mm.
61. 1 franc (n.d.) Similar to above. German silver, 23 mm.
62. 5 centimes 1915. Same as No. 56 except date. Aluminum, 25 mm.
63. 10 centimes 1915. Same as No. 57 except date. Aluminum, 30 mm.

BORDEAUX (GIRONDE)

(Military Cooperative)

64. 5 centimes (n.d.) Obv., SOCIETE COOPERATIVE at top, large star at bottom. In field MILITAIRE BORDEAUX. Rev., 5¢. Iron, 20 mm.
65. 10 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Iron, octagonal, 25 mm.
NOTE: The above two tokens are trial pieces and did not circulate.

BOUGIE (ALGERIA)

66. 5 centimes 1915. Obv., CHAMBRE / DE / COMMERCE / DE BOUGIE / 1915 in five lines, top and bottom lines curved, all in beaded circle. Rev., 5¢ in beaded circle. Aluminum, 26 mm.
67. 10 centimes 1915. Similar to above. Aluminum, 30 mm.

BOULOGNE (PAS-DE-CALAIS)

68. Ration token (n.d.) Obv., VILLE / DE / BOULOGNE / S / MER in four lines. Rev., VIANDE in dotted lozenge. Brass, 23 mm.

BOURG (AIN)

(Noncommissioned Officers Mess)

69. 5 centimes (n.d.) Obv., BOURG B (ornament) 5. Rev., in two rows around central hole, MESS DES SOUS-OFFICIERS / DU 23^E REG'T D'INF'IE (triangle). Brass, scalloped, 18 mm.
70. 15 centimes (n.d.) Obv., BOURG 15, counterstamped script B and 15, all in beaded circle. Rev., similar to above except beaded circle. Hole in center. Brass, scalloped, 22 mm.
71. 25 centimes (n.d.) Similar to No. 69. Plated zinc, scalloped, 22 mm.

CADILLAC (GIRONDE)

72. 5 centimes 1922. Obv., crowned shield quartered. First and fourth quarters three vertical bars on gold field. Second and third quarters lion passant on gold field. UNION DES COMMERÇANTS DE CADILLAC • 1922 Rev., 5 CENT in fancy scroll. Aluminum, 19 mm.
73. 10 centimes 1922. Similar to above. Aluminum, 23 mm.

CAEN (CALVADOS)

74. 5 centimes 1921. Obv., shield, tower on red field. UNION COMMERCIALE ET INDUSTRIELLE DE CAEN * Rev., VILLE DE CAEN * 1921 * 5¢ in field. Aluminum, 19 mm.
75. 10 centimes 1921. Similar to above. Aluminum, 23 mm.
76. 25 centimes 1921. Similar to above. Aluminum, square, 24x24 mm.

CARCASSONNE (AUDE)

77. 5 centimes 1917. Obv., CARCASSONNE 1917, crowned shield, three towers surrounded by fleur-de-lis on blue field, spray at each side held by fleur-de-lis. Rev., UNION DES COMMERCANTS * triangle * In field 5¢. Aluminum, 21 mm.
78. 10 centimes 1917. Similar to above. Aluminum, 26 mm.
79. 25 centimes 1917. Similar to above. DUSLAUX in tiny letters below left star, PARIS below right star. Aluminum, octagonal, 23 mm.

CARMAUX (TARN)

80. 5 centimes 1916. Obv., SOCIETE DES MINES DE CARMAUX scroll 1916 scroll. Miners pick and timber splitting ax crossed, tied with belt, scales below. Rev., JETON VALABLE JUSQU'AU 31 DECEMBRE 1918 * 5¢ in field. Aluminum, 25 mm.
81. 10 centimes 1916. Similar to above. Aluminum, 30 mm.
82. 5 centimes 1917. Similar except redemption date is 1919. Zinc, 25 mm.
83. 10 centimes 1917. Similar except redemption date is 1919. Zinc, 30 mm.



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CARPENTRAS (VAUCLUSE) (Private Issue)

84. 10 centimes (n.d.) Obv., crowned shield, H on red field. SYNDICAT DES HOTELS & CAFES (diamond) CARPENTRAS (diamond). Above CARPENTRAS & REGION Rev., 10 CMES in wreath of fourteen stalks of wheat. THEVENON on left rim. Aluminum, 25 mm.
85. 25 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Aluminum, 27 mm.

CASTELNAUDARY (AUDE)

86. 5 centimes 1917. Obv., VILLE DE CASTELNAUDARY * * * In field, crowned shield, three fleur-de-lis on blue field in top third, three small towers, with five petaled flower over central tower, on red field, in lower two-thirds of shield. Rev., UNION DES COMMERCANTS * 1917 * 5 in center, CENT below, Zinc, 21 mm.
87. 10 centimes 1917. Similar to above. Zinc, 25 mm.
88. 25 centimes 1917. Similar to above. Zinc, octagonal, 24 mm.

CASTRES (TARN)

89. 5 centimes 1916. Obv., ornate shield between palm branches tied at bottom. Top third three fleur-de-lis on blue field, lower two-thirds four red wedges on silver field, triangle at top, ribbon above with DEBOVT, Rev., VILLE DE CASTRES (TARN) * 1916-1919. 5¢ in center. Aluminum, 18 mm.
90. 10 centimes 1916. Similar to above. Aluminum, 22 mm.
91. 25 centimes 1916. Similar to above. Aluminum, 12 sided, 23 mm.

(Private Issues)

92. 5 centimes (n.d.) Obv., AU PRINTEMPS * CH.DESPLATS * In field CASTRES. Rev., large 5¢ in beaded circle. Brass, 25 mm.
93. 10 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Brass, scalloped, 25 mm.

- 94. 25 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Brass, octagonal, 25 mm.
- 95. 10 centimes (n.d.) Obv., RESTAURANT COOPERATIF • CASTRES • In field D.A.P. Rev., 10¢ with fancy scroll above and below. Brass, scalloped, 24 mm.
- 96. 25 centimes (n.d.) Obv., similar to above. Rev., 25¢ in beaded circle. Zinc octagonal, 24 mm.
- 97. 50 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Zinc, square, 24x24 mm.

CETTE (HERAULT)
(Private Issue)

- 98. 5 centimes 1917. Obv., ship with sun behind on left, docks with two light houses and two buildings on right. VILLE ET PORT DE CETTE. In small letters J. BUCRIN 1917 MARSEILLE. Rev., REMBOURSABLE EN 1920 (two acorns) A.A. & C^{IE} 5¢ in field between triangle and diamond. Zinc, 18 mm.
- 99. 10 centimes 1917. Similar to above. Zinc, 20 mm.

CHALONS-SUR-MARNE (MARNE)

- 100. 5 centimes 1920. Obv., in seven lines. UNION COMMERCIALE ET INDUSTRIELLE DE CHALON: MARNE 1920. Rev., 5 CENTIMES (below). Aluminum, square with rounded corners, 20 mm.
- 101. 10 centimes 1920. Similar to above. Aluminum, octagonal, 22 mm.
- 102. 25 centimes 1920. Similar to above. Aluminum, square with rounded corners, 24 mm.

CHARLEVILLE & SEDAN (ARDENNES)

- 103. 5 centimes 1921. Obv., CHARLEVILLE & SEDAN, diamond below LL, In field in four lines, CHAMBRES DE COMMERCE 1921. Bird's wing to right of date. Left of inscription Caduceus with winged Mercury cap. Rev., 5¢ with branch of laurel below. In small letters at edge THEVENON. Aluminum, 19 mm.
- 104. 10 centimes 1921. Similar to above. Aluminum, 25 mm.

CHARLIEU (LOIRE)

- 105. 10 centimes 1920. Obv., crowned shield quartered, first and fourth quarters silver, second and third quarters checkerboard, two branches tied with bow. Above CHARLIEU below (LOIRE), Rev., UNION COMMERCIALE * ET INDUSTRIELLE * 10¢ 1920 in beaded circle. J.BORY in small letters. Aluminum, 24 mm.
- 106. 25 centimes 1920. Similar to above. Aluminum, 27 mm.

CHATELLERAULT (VIENNE)

- 107. 10 centimes 1922. Obv., crowned shield, center lion rampant on small shield, eight annulets on gold field surrounding small shield. UNION COMMERCIALE • & • INDUSTRIELLE • CHATELLERAULT • Below shield 1922. Rev., 10 CMES within eight wheat stalks. THEVENON in small letters on rim. Aluminum, 23 mm.

CHATOU (SEINE-ET-OISE)

- 108. 5 centimes 1918. Obv., turreted crown above shield. Quartered, first quarter raised sword on blue field, fourth quarter lion rampant on blue field, second and third quarters three stars on blue field with five unidentified objects on gold field. Oak branch left and right. CHATOU on panel below shield. VILLE DE CHATOU • SEINE-ET-OISE • Rev., COMMERCE • INDUSTRIE • 5¢ in center, 1918 below. Brass, scalloped, 20 mm.
- 109. 10 centimes 1918. Similar to above. Brass, scalloped, 24 mm.
- 110. 25 centimes 1918. Similar to above. Brass, scalloped, 27 mm.

CHOLET (MAINE-ET-LOIRE)
(Military Canteen)

- 111. 5 centimes (n.d.) Obv., inscription in five lines. CANTINE * GIRARD 77^E D'INFANTERIE. Top and bottom lines curved. Rev., 5¢ in beaded circle. Zinc, 22 mm.
- 112. 10 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Diamond after CANTINE. Zinc, oval, 20x26 mm.
- 113. 10 centimes (n.d.) Same as above. Counterstamped joined hands. Zinc, oval, 20x26 mm.
- 114. 25 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. * after CANTINE. Zinc, hexagonal, 21 mm.

- 115. 25 centimes (n.d.) Same as above. Counterstamped joined hands. Zinc, hexagonal, 21 mm.
- 116. 50 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Zinc, octagonal, 22 mm.
- 117. 50 centimes (n.d.) Same as above. Counterstamped joined hands. Zinc, octagonal, 22 mm.
- 118. 1 franc (n.d.) Similar to above. Zinc, scalloped, 21 mm.
- 119. 1 franc (n.d.) Same as above. Counterstamped joined hands. Zinc, scalloped, 21 mm.



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- 120. 5 francs (n.d.) Similar to above. Zinc, square with rounded corners, 20x20 mm.
- 121. 5 francs (n.d.) Same as above. Counterstamped joined hands. Zinc, square with rounded corners, 20x20 mm.

CLERMONT-FERRAND (Street Railways)

- 122. 10 centimes (n.d.) Obv., in five lines CE JETON N'EST PAS REMBOURSABLE EN ESPECES, in beaded circle. Rev., TRAMWAYS DE CLERMONT FERRAND (diamond) 10¢ in field. Zinc, 23 mm.
- 123. 5 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above except 5 centimes. Zinc, scalloped, 20 mm. (From the collection of George W. Lake, to whom the writer's thanks are extended for permission to use.)

COGNAC (CHARENTE) (Private Issue)

- 124. 10 centimes 1922. Obv., EPICERIE / ornament / J.DALIDET / COGNAC / 1922, in five lines. Rev., 10¢ in field, BON POUR above, EN MARCHANDISES in two lines below, THEVENON at rim. Aluminum, 23 mm.

COMORE ISLANDS

- 125. 25 centimes (n.d.) Obv., SOCIETE GRANDE COMORE. In field anonyme DE LA. Rev., 25¢ BON DE REMBOURSABLE. Brass, 27 mm. (From the collection of George W. Lake, to whom the writer's thanks are extended for permission to use.)

COUERON (LOIRE INFERIEURE) (Private Issue)

- 126. 5 centimes (n.d.) Obv., USINES DE COUERON * Rev., 5¢. Bronze, scalloped, 19 mm.
- 127. 10 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Bronze, scalloped, 24 mm.

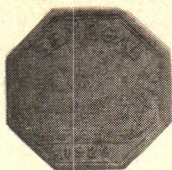
COURNEUVE (LA) (SEINE) (Private Issue)

- 128. 5 centimes (n.d.) Obv., in field A R in monogram. SOCIETE RATEAU * LA COURNEUVE * Rev., VALABLE SEULEMENT CROSS DANS NOS USINES cross. 5¢ in field. Aluminum, 27 mm.
- 129. 10 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Aluminum, 30 mm.
- 130. 25 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Brass, 20 mm.
- 131. 50 centimes (n.d.) Similar to above. Brass, 23 mm.

CUXAC (AUDE)

- 132. 10 centimes 1917. Obv., COMMERCANTS REUNIS • 1917 • in field CUXAC D'AUDE. Rev., 10¢ in beaded circle. Aluminum, 28 mm.

DAKAR (SENEGAL)



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133. 10 centimes 1920. Obv., ship with birds flying around, anchor to right, SENEGAL above, 1920 below. Rev., 10¢ in beaded circle, above CHAMBRE DE COMMERCE, below 10¢ DAKAR. Aluminum, octagonal, 22 mm.

DIGOIN (SAONE-ET-LOIRE)

134. 5 centimes (n.d.) Obv., bee hive with bees flying around, DIGOIN below. Rev., 5¢ with lozenge shaped ornament above and below. Copper, octagonal, 21 mm.
135. 10 centimes (n.d.) Obv., same as above. Rev., 10 in center. CENTIMES below, in beaded circle. Copper, scalloped, 25 mm.
136. 50 centimes (n.d.) Similar to No. 134. Zinc plated, scalloped, 19 mm.

DOLE (JURA)

137. 10 centimes 1921. Obv., FEDERATION COMMERCIALE INDUSTRIELLE 1921 In field DOLE. Rev., 10 CENTIMES. Aluminum, square, 24x24 mm.

DUNKERQUE (NORD)

138. 5 centimes 1920. Obv., ST DES COMMERCANTS, at bottom DUNKERQUE. In field 5 CES below 1920. Rev., incuse of obverse. Sheet iron, 20 mm.
139. 10 centimes 1920. Similar to above. Sheet iron, 24 mm.
140. 5 centimes 1922. Similar to above. Sheet brass, 20 mm.
141. 10 centimes 1922. Similar to above. Sheet brass, 24 mm.

ELBEUF (SEINE-INFERIEURE)

142. 5 centimes 1921. Obv., crowned shield divided per pale. Right, bee hive with bees flying around. Left, patriarch's cross entwined with ivy. CHAMBRE DE COMMERCE D'ELBEUF • 1921 • Rev., 5¢. Aluminum, 21 mm.
143. 10 centimes 1921. Similar to above. Aluminum, 25 mm.



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144. 25 centimes 1921. Similar to above. Aluminum, 30 mm.

EPERNAY (MARNE)

145. 5 centimes 1922. Obv., ornate crowned shield between sprays of oak and laurel, three roses on blue field. UNION DES COMMERCANTS D'ETAILLANTS D'EPERNAY. Rev., 5¢ bunch of grapes and leaves above, 1922 below. To left, Caduceus with winged Mercury cap. THEVENON. Aluminum, 19 mm.

EURE-ET-LOIRE (Department)

146. 5 centimes 1922. Obv., crowned shield quartered, first quarter three fleur-de-lis on blue over three orbs on red, second quarter lion rampant on red, third quarter blue billets on gold field, fourth quarter blue above three

- moons on red field. CHAMBRE DE COMMERCE D'EURE & LOIRE (cross). Rev., 5¢ 1922. Three wheat stalks each side. Aluminum, 19 mm.
147. 10 centimes 1922. Similar to above. Aluminum, 23 mm.
148. 25 centimes 1922. Similar to above. Aluminum, 28 mm.

EVREUX (EURE)

149. 5 centimes 1921. Obv., crowned shield divided by bend with three red billets and one fleur-de-lis on right and 1½ fleur-de-lis on blue field on left. CHAMBRE DE COMMERCE D'EVREUX • 1921 • Rev., 5 CENT with four stalks of rye each side. In small letters at bottom, THEVENON. Aluminum, 19 mm.
150. 10 centimes 1921. Similar to above. Aluminum, 23 mm.
151. 25 centimes 1921. Similar to above. Aluminum, 27 mm.
152. 1 franc 1922. Obv., farmer sowing grain in field. Trees, houses and sun in background. CHAMBRE DE COMMERCE • EVREUX • Rev., circle in field with .1 FRANC 1922 CHAMBRE DE COMMERCE • EVREUX • Brass, 24 mm.

FALAISE (CALVADOS)

153. 5 centimes 1921. Obv., arms on crowned shield, three towers with gate in central tower on red field, 1921 below. Rev., * UNION * DE FALAISE 5 in field surrounded by • COMMERCIALE • ET INDUSTRIELLE. Aluminum, 21 mm.
154. 10 centimes 1921. Similar to above. Aluminum, scalloped, 23 mm.

FOURMIES AND TRELON (NORD)

155. 10 centimes 1921. Obv., double shield with three sprays of leaves. UNION DES COMMERCANTS. Below shield in four lines, FOURMIES & TRELON 1921, all in beaded circle. Rev., 10¢ at top, eight stalks of wheat entwined with grape leaves. Aluminum, 26 mm.

FRANCE

National Chamber of Commerce

156. 50 centimes 1920-1931. Obv., seated Liberty facing left holding Caduceus in right hand and leaning on lyre with left arm. Date below. DOMARD in small letters to left. INV to right. COMMERCE INDUSTRIE. Rev., CHAMBRES • DE • COMMERCE, DE • FRANCE * In circle BON POUR 50 CENTIMES. Aluminum bronze, 18 mm. Raymond No. 15; Yeoman No. 77.
157. 1 franc 1920-1931. Similar to above. Aluminum bronze, 23 mm. Raymond No. 14; Yeoman No. 78.
158. 2 francs 1920-1931. Similar to above. Aluminum bronze, 27 mm. Raymond No. 13; Yeoman No. 79.

NOTE: The above three coins are not, strictly speaking, applicable to this paper, as they were not issued for local use, as were the others. They were struck for general circulation and were issued each year from 1920 to 1931. They were, however, issued in the name of the National Chamber of Commerce, and as such can be classified as emergency money.

FUMEL (LOT-ET-GARONNE)

159. 5 centimes 1917. Obv., UNION FUMELOISE 1917. In field FUMEL, Rev., REMBOURSABLE above, in three lines below, AVANT 1920 5¢ Iron, 21 mm.
160. 10 centimes 1917. Similar to above. Iron, 26 mm.
161. 25 centimes 1917. Similar to above. Iron, octagonal, 25 mm.

GARD

(Department)

162. 10 centimes 1917. Obv., bust of the Maid of Gard facing left, 1917 to left, 1918 to right. Rev., GROUPES COMMERCIAUX DU GARD * 1917 * 10 in octagon in field. Aluminum, 17 mm.
163. 25 centimes 1917. Similar to above. Aluminum, 20 mm.

GIVORS (RHONE)

(Private Issue)

164. 10 centimes (n.d.) Obv., COMPAGNIE DE FIVES - LILLE - GIVORS - in plain circle, 10¢. Incuse star to left of 10. In small letters below, REMBOURSABLES A LA CAISSE. Rev., blank. Brass, 32 mm.

To be continued

SOUTH AFRICA'S NEW COINS

The first coins in the new series which will be introduced into South Africa this year were struck by the minister of finance, Dr. T. E. Donges, at the South African mint on December 3rd. The new coins are considerably smaller and lighter than the existing equivalents and have strikingly different designs.

The first two denominations, the bronze 2¢ and the nickel 5¢ pieces, will be issued on May 11th. To avoid confusion, the introduction of the other new denominations will be timed in the light of experience gained in changing the first two. The new 10¢ piece (which will be approximately the same size as the existing 6d and 5¢ coins) will not be issued until most of these have been withdrawn, probably around August or September of 1965.

Replacing the current silver, copper, and bronze series with lighter nickel and bronze coinage is expected to save the country about \$21 million. The changeover from silver alloy is also expected to head off a coin shortage in South Africa such as the one now plaguing the United States.

Nearly a million pounds of new coinage material, powder rolled pure nickel in blank form, has been ordered from the Sherritt Gordon Mines, Ltd., of Toronto, Canada. These blanks are being stamped by the South African mint in Pretoria.

The new series, said Dr. Donges, together with the method of trans-

formation, is something unique in world history. It is even more remarkable when one takes into account that South Africa's bank notes will now change size as well as appearance. There will be three values: R1, R5, and R10. The R2 and R20 notes will be withdrawn.

In the new coinage series, eight coins will be in general use: a silver R1 coin (new); nickel 50¢, 20¢, 10¢ and 5¢ pieces; and bronze 2¢, 1¢ and ½¢ pieces. The nickel coins will have smooth edges and the bronze will be reeded. The mint will continue to strike gold R2 and R1 coins for collectors, but the controversial "trojan," worth about R35, will be discontinued. If it is found necessary to strike more 2½¢ pieces, these will also be in nickel.

The government has accepted in principle the idea of compensating owners of coin-operated machines for the conversion of such machines to accommodate the new series.

The fate of the 2½¢ "tickey" piece will depend on public response to the bronze 2¢ piece. Already about 18 million "tickeys" are lying in the country's banks because they are no longer used in buying newspapers. A further fall in the popularity of the coin could result in its withdrawal.

To keep the public informed, a special information division has been set up in the South African treasury in Pretoria.

"E Pluribus Unum" On U. S. Coins

The inscription, "E Pluribus Unum," was first used on our coinage in 1795, when the reverse of the half eagle (\$5 gold piece) presented the main features of the great seal, on the scroll of which this inscription belongs. The same device was placed on certain of the silver coins in 1798, and so the motto was soon found on all the coins in the precious metals. In 1834, it was dropped from most of the gold coins to mark the change in the standard fineness of the coins. In 1837 it was dropped from the silver coins, marking the era of the revised mint code.

The act of February 12, 1873 made this inscription a requirement of law upon the coins of the United States. A search will reveal, however, that it does not appear on all coins struck after 1873, and that not until much later were the provisions of this act followed in their entirety. From facts contained in mint records it would appear that officials did not consider the provisions of the law mandatory, but rather, discretionary. The motto does appear on all coins currently being manufactured.

The motto as it appears on U. S. coins means "One out of many," and doubtless has reference to the unity of the early states. It is said that one Colonel Reed of Uxbridge, Mass., was instrumental in having it placed on the coins.

THE HASTY CATALOGER

By

SCEPTICUS

AS RAPIDLY mounting prices for American coins persuade more and more American collectors to turn to the foreign and ancient fields of numismatics, even the boldest collector may feel the uneasiness of unfamiliarity. But he can take heart, for he is not alone. Undaunted American catalogers have plowed through these uncharted seas before him — and struck many a reef.

Actually, these uncertain seas for many a venturing collector are not really uncharted. There is a vast store of knowledge, constantly increasing through research, that is readily available. The acquisition of this knowledge is one of the delights of numismatics and attracts collectors into specialization in the foreign and ancient coin realms. But for many catalogers today, accuracy falls victim to haste for profit and historical association must be stretched into a sales gimmick.

I recognize that all catalogers cannot be specialists in all fields and that the average auction or fixed price catalog today spans a hefty breadth of scholarship. But if the unsuspecting collector cannot trust the cataloger's labels, if he finds obvious errors in coin descriptions, how can he assure himself that the vendor's lack of expertness doesn't impinge even upon the usual "All coins guaranteed genuine"?

Obviously, all American catalogers cannot be tarred and feathered with the same brush. Some are respected experts whose catalogs compare favorably with those of leading European dealers. (And errors are not unknown even in the best European catalogs.) But it is a far greater disservice to numismatics for a cataloger to make a bad guess or a gross error in writing a coin description than it is for him to omit his misinformation or confess his ignorance. And too many catalogers today are committing such a disservice to their customers, to themselves, and to the study and pleasure of numismatics.

For example, in a recent catalog I came upon this description of an

electrum hekte of Cyzicus: "1/6 stater. 480 B.C. Obv., Lioness overturning sail." Like many a collector of limited means, I am more an admirer than a collector of Greek electrum coinage, and I would have passed on to more attainable coins if that three-word description of the obverse hadn't piqued my curiosity. The illustration in the catalog showed it to be the same coin as No. 929 in the American Numismatic Society's recent publication of the Burton Y. Berry collection, with an obverse of a panther standing on a tunny fish. What flight of the cataloger's imagination turned a panther on a tunny fish into a lioness overturning a sail, I cannot fathom. And the ANS was much less definite about the date, fixing it in the 75 year period between 550 and 475 B.C., unlike the more positive "480 B.C." of our uninhibited cataloger.

A peccadillo, perhaps. But this led me to wonder about the accuracy of other coin descriptions. So I made a casual check through a series of recent catalogs from a number of dealers, and although I have only limited research facilities available with which to scratch the surface of their claims, I came upon some interesting cases.

Describing the reverse of an Indo-Greek gold stater of the Kushana King Huvishka, one cataloger wrote: "Zeus standing l., fork-like symbol in front; in Greek: 'PHARRO'." Zeus should have thrown his thunderbolt at our cataloger, for the inscription indicates that the figure is Farr, a Persian god of fire.

The lion of St. Mark, patron saint of Venice, might roar in anguish when our cataloger says that, on a Venetian zecchino, the "Doge (is) kneeling before St. Paul."

A desire to inflate values sometimes leads catalogers to inflate their claims. "Ancient Axum," one cataloger says, "the Abyssinian kingdom which struck Byzantine type coins. Ousas, king 600 A.D. Triens. These coins have high price records. Seaby's price lists — \$500-\$700." He then modestly estimated the value of his coin at \$475. But a check back through three years

of Seaby's Bulletins showed no coin issued by Ousas was offered by Seaby during that period. Two triens issued by other rulers of the Axumite empire were priced by Seaby in April, 1964, at \$336 and \$392; one in September, 1963, was priced at \$258, and one in April, 1963, at \$378. Seaby never did reach the \$500 mark for "these coins," or even the \$475 selected by our cataloger.

A weakness in geography seems to afflict some catalogers. For example, one describes Annam as "now Laos." The beleaguered Vietnamese are having enough trouble these days without losing Annam to Laos. And further on, the same cataloger defines Laos as "North Siam," and compounds this with "Mekong river; northern part of country."

A geographic quirk that mystifies me is why one cataloger should place a coin of "Trebizonde" (presumably Trabzon, in northern Turkey) in a section of his catalog entitled "Asia and Australia," and then place a coin of Cilician Armenia (in southern Turkey) in a section headed "Europe."

Compounding trouble in geography with a misspelling of Hispaniola, a cataloger refers to "The island of Hispanola where Columbus landed in 1492 (composed today of Santo Domingo and Haiti)." What happened to the Dominican republic?

History also can be troublesome for the catalogers, especially when they try to stretch for an association that might attract more buyers. One gave this dramatic description of the "Mameluke" sultans of Egypt: "Chased and decimated to the last man finally by Napoleon." A check of Paul Balog's *The Coinage of the Mamluk Sultans of Egypt and Syria* (ANS Numismatic Studies No. 12) shows that "The final disaster, however, which ended with the collapse of the Mamluk empire and its annexation by the Ottoman Turks, started when... Selim I succeeded to the throne.... On January 22, 1517, Cairo surrendered to the Turks. Egypt lost its independence and became a province of the Ottoman empire." 1517 was a bit before Napoleon's time, but of course the Napoleonic association helps sell coins.

In a wild and inaccurate stretch, a cataloger tells of a coin issued by the Samanid "Nasr II ibn Ahmed" (913-943 A.D.) and adds: "(This is the earliest ruler by the name Nasser.)" As the "I" would indicate, there was a Nasr I ibn Ahmed who ruled from 874-892 A.D.

In another strained historical association, a cataloger referring to Spanish King Ferdinand VII (1803-33) says with unwonted familiarity: "Ferd's 4th wife was Maria Christina, who convinced him to change the Salic law and to make daughter Isabella the successor. This created the Carlist wars and brought to life the activities of the Carlists who still hope to conquer the throne of Spain." Franco beware!

In my search through the various catalogs, I also came upon some equally dismaying practices. One of these was the "reference-we-doubt-ever-got-made." For example, in describing a Japanese feudal koban, one cataloger challenges the resources of the collector's library with the instruction: "See Kingin Zuroku, publ. in Osaka, 1811, vol. 3."

Another claim bound to dismay all but a few Arabic scholars was found in a description of an Atabeg dinar issued by an obscure Zengi ruler of Mosul, Badr-ad-din Lu'lu. The cataloger admits that the coin has "Arabic inscription both sides" but assures us that "The fascinating adventurous story of this ruler comes to light with this coin."

Swinging back from the obscure to the ridiculous, some catalogers seem to assume their potential customers are utter ignoramuses who need to be told: "Perpignan (in France)..." or "Majorca (Spanish Island in Mediterranean)..."

"Portugal (sic) was an important trading nation. . . . The Portuguese were a seafaring nation and their ships went all over the world."

"Patagonia (southern part of Argentina and Chile). Also called Araucania, and the most southern tip is called Fireland."

And the culminating blow of offensive obviousness came when a cataloger, leaving nothing to imagination, stated: "'Manneken Pis.' Interesting medal. Little boy urinating."

It may be too much to expect all dealers in foreign and ancient coins to be experts in all aspects of foreign and ancient coins. But it should not be too much to ask that they know which end of a coin is up. (In one catalog I found an Indian coin with Persian script and three Nepalese coins with Nagari script reproduced upside down.) If they are going to deal in coins dated in other eras and numerals, they should be able to read the dates. (In the same catalog, a coin of Shah Alam II was dated with

a 10 year error because of a misreading of the Arabic numerals of the date.)

Is it too much to expect correct spelling ("Portugual") and good grammar ("large 10 Ryo oban, superior in fineness than the Genroku and Keicho kobans")?

Most collectors enjoy numismatics as a serious study. While they appreciate interesting information, they also value accuracy — not only in history and geography but also in price esti-

mates. The obscure reference and the distorted historical allusion should give way to a mature professionalism in the preparation of coin catalogs which will win their respect and their patronage.

But until this utopian day arrives, collectors venturing into the foreign and ancient fields should be wary of the hasty catalogers. Their wares may be well worth tasting — *cum grano salis*.

THE IRON HAND OF SERGIUS

P. Hoeg Albrethsen is executive manager of the Society and Home for Cripples in Copenhagen, Denmark. He is also a student of Latin and ancient Roman history. This explains his penetrating investigation into the curious figure found on a small silver coin — more than 2,000 years old — which is displayed in the Royal collection of coins and medals in Copenhagen's National museum.

Despite the age of the coin, it remains in a striking state of preservation. It shows a horseman dashing forward in the full equipment and uniform of a Roman commander. In his left hand he swings a sword and the severed head of an enemy. Albrethsen proclaims this ancient illustration the oldest picture of a man mentioned by name who was known to have worn a prosthesis — an artificial hand. The warrior's name is Marcus Sergius Silus.

The Roman historian Plinius relates that Sergius lost his right hand in a campaign against the Celts in north Italy in the year 218 B.C. In substitution for this loss "he had a right hand of iron made, fixed it to his arm, and fought with it. As an invalid — accompanied only by a single batman — he later on served in many wars."

Marcus Sergius Silus is of more intimate interest because he was the first champion to demonstrate that in employment "Ability, not disability, counts." One might say that he com-

prised a one man Roman senators' committee on employment of the handicapped.

It seems, according to historian Plinius, that Sergius was appointed quaestor and praetor — high ranking government posts — which aroused a bit of jealousy among a band of lesser bureaucrats. These antagonists pointed to his disability and complained that he was unable to perform properly the clerical functions of his office. As any good Roman worth his marbles, Sergius took to the forum and defended his position in a dramatic speech.

His speech is probably the first public defense of employment of the handicapped and the soundness of selective placement. He told the partisan crowd that an invalid should not be prevented from doing a task only because of a physical handicap — so long as the handicap does not prevent him from performing the assigned task. The crowd was convinced and they all returned to the circus confident that their government was in good hands, even if one of them was iron. Plinius sums up the narrative with these words: "By his speech Sergius even overcame his misfortune." Freely translated, we echo this observation when we say that a disabled person is not handicapped on the job when suitably placed. (Reprinted from *Employment Service Review*, September, 1964.)

Hundreds of thousands of Japanese queued, according to a newspaper clipping sent in by Col. Jack Cornett, A.N.A. 36171, in the hopes of getting an Olympic commemorative coin. Long lines waited through the night in front of post offices for a chance at one of the 5 million 1,000 yen coins distributed in Japan on October 29. The price quickly rose to 6,000 yen (\$16.68) on the collectors' market.

RUSSIAN MONETARY REFORM: 1887-1899

By

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ALEXANDER I, emperor and autocrat of all the Russias, established the silver standard in Russia by an imperial ukase in 1810. Nicholas I reaffirmed this by decree in 1843. It lasted 87 years.

Because of the heavy financial burden of the Crimean war, 1854 to 1856, the czar was forced to suspend specie payments about 1855. As a result Russia came under the influence of a paper money regime. The paper money, known as the credit ruble or bill of credit, which stood at 664,100,000 rubles in January, 1865, climbed to 1,181,000,000 in November, 1878. These figures represent the actual amount in circulation in the empire. The government was able to reduce the amount to approximately 850 million rubles in the middle of the 1880 decade. Beginning in 1886, the total began to rise. This prompted the government to seek a solution to the perplexing financial problem. In 1887 Emperor Alexander III appointed a special committee of outstanding citizens to study the situation.

The same year the committee submitted its report to Alexander III. This report suggested establishing a definite ratio of credit rubles to gold. It urged a ratio of 1½ credit rubles to 1 gold ruble. This was approximately the ratio existing on the exchange market in Russia. Russia did not have the necessary gold reserves to implement this program and the committee suggested a period of several years should be allowed for gathering the hoard needed. The emperor agreed, and personally wrote on the report "To be carried out."

Very little was done in 1887 because of an unfavorable balance of trade. In 1888 a large amount of gold was imported but the export of gold rose correspondingly. By 1891 the balance had swung the other way by a tremendous margin. In 1891 gold imports exceeded gold exports by 55 million dollars. The average excess, 1891 to 1897, was more than 50 million dollars.

All of these imports were not for the government. Many citizens and private business concerns imported gold coin and bullion for their own use.

The gold for the money reform program was placed in a special re-

demption fund. I. A. Wischnegradski, minister of finance until August 30, 1892, increased the fund 335 million gold rubles. Count Witte, who succeeded him, increased the fund 165 million gold rubles by December 15, 1896. The total in the fund at the end of 1896 was 500 million gold rubles, equal to 750 million credit rubles at the proposed rate of exchange. Slightly more than one billion credit rubles were in circulation.

Russia continued to mint gold coins of the old standard until late in 1896. These were the large 5 and 10 ruble pieces. More than 5 million pieces were coined 1895. In 1896, 300 of the 25 ruble pieces were struck as a special coronation issue.

In late 1896 a plan submitted to the counsel of the empire suggested



The 7½ ruble gold piece. The design on the 5, 10 and 15 ruble gold coins is similar except for denominations and dates. (Illustration courtesy of Whitman Publishing Company)

the credit rubles be redeemed at the rate of one credit ruble for one gold ruble. This was an entirely new approach, suggesting that the gold ruble be devaluated to the same level as the credit ruble. In terms of United States money it involved devaluation of the gold ruble from 77.2 cents to 51.456 cents. The latter was the value of the credit ruble in the United States currency.

At first the minister of finance, Count Witte, was against the plan. However, Czar Nicholas II was for it — and nobody crossed the czar. The finance minister had a change of heart.

On August 8, 1896, Nicholas II issued an imperial ukase stating that the current half imperial, or 5 rubles, was, until further notice, worth 7½ rubles in paper currency. This had the effect of freezing the relationship between the credit ruble and gold coins. (The small size 5 and 10 ruble gold coins had not been issued. One should not confuse the large and small size

gold coins.) This ukase was the first step in a long series of promulgations designed to change the Russian monetary system.

The next step was taken on January 3, 1897. Nicholas II signed the order at the Czarskoe-Selo palace. It reads as follows:

In order to put an end to the inconveniences which circumstances and the force of things have brought about in the monetary circulation of the country, We have directed that there shall be deposited with the Counsel of the Empire a plan elaborated by a special committee, having for its object the placing of our monetary system on new bases in harmony with the existing situation, and also the regulation of the issues of the Bank of Russia.

This question, on account of its importance and complexity, may still require long deliberation and discussion.

Today, on account of the urgent necessity of resuming the stamping of gold coins, and in order to stop the uncertainty arising among the people from the discrepancy between the nominal value of the gold coins and the price at which they are exchanged for bills of credit, or paper rubles, We have thought it well,

condition was rectified later in the year. The next ukase was issued August 29, 1897, at the Bielovege palace. Its text follows:

By Our ukase of January 3, 1897, We ordered the coinage and putting into circulation of gold coins with the inscription on the imperials, the value of 15 rubles, and on the half imperials, the value of 7 rubles 50 kopecks.

This measure, which brought the nominal value of the gold coin to the price fixed for the exchange of that coin for the bills of credit, gave stability to the value of gold of the bills of credit and placed upon the same footing the circulation of these bills and that of the gold coins.

Consequently, in view of giving a solid basis in the circulation to the bills of credit, We order the following:

The bills of credit shall be issued by the Bank of Russia for an amount to be strictly determined by the actual needs of the monetary market and shall be guaranteed by gold to the extent of one half the total amount of the circulation, in so far as this amount does not exceed 600,000,000 of rubles. The bills of credit found in circulation over and above 600,000,000 rubles shall be guaranteed by gold, at least ruble for ruble, so that 15

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

1 Russian pound equals 32 lots or 96 zolotniks.

1 zolotnik equals 65.83 grains troy.

1 doli equals 1/96 zolotnik.

1 imperial equaled \$7.718 in terms of \$10 of gold in a 10 dollar gold piece. The fractions of the imperial were equivalent to the respective fractions.

while awaiting Our final decision after examination by the Counsel of the Empire, to cause to be stamped gold coins bearing the indication of the price fixed in Our Imperial decree of August 8, 1896.

Therefore, in accordance with the plan which you have submitted, and which has been examined by a special committee, We direct you:

1. Without modifying in any way either the quantity of fine gold, or the fineness, or the weight, or the dimensions of the gold coins, as fixed by law (monetary law, articles 8, 9, 12, 17, 19, and 21), to cause to be stamped imperials and half imperials bearing as an indication of their price, the former, 15 rubles, and the latter, 7 rubles and 50 kopecks, in conformity with the descriptions approved by us at the same time as these presents.

2. After the manufacture of the gold coins on the bases indicated in article 1 of the present ukase, to put the coin aforesaid in circulation.

At the same time another ukase was issued to the effect that these new coins were to be accepted at the old rate of 5 and 10 rubles for the half imperial and the imperial, respectively. This was an abrupt change from the August, 1896, ukase. This

rubles in bills of credit shall have a guaranty in gold represented by at least 1 imperial.

These two denominations, the 15 and 7½ ruble coins, proved insufficient for the needs of the country, so a 5 ruble piece was authorized. The text of the imperial ukase, signed November 14, 1897, at Czarskoe-Selo palace, follows:

In order to facilitate the keeping of accounts in gold coin, We have considered it well to ratify your proposition, which has been examined by a special committee, relating to the coining and putting in circulation, besides imperials and half imperials, a gold piece of the value of 5 rubles or the third of an imperial, in accordance with the following description, which We approve the same day:

The weight of fine gold in the 5 ruble piece shall be 87.12 doli. This piece shall contain 900 parts of fine gold and 100 parts of copper. One pound of gold coins of the above-mentioned fineness represents 95 gold pieces of 5 rubles, 1 ruble, 3/37/121 kopecks. The diameter of the 5 ruble piece is fixed at 72 points. The gross weight of this piece shall be 1 zolotnik 0.8 doli. In the coinage of the gold 5 ruble pieces the tolerance of fineness shall be one thousandth, and the tolerance of weight 0.3 doli. The mini-

mum weight which this gold piece shall have, to be accepted at par by the public treasuries, shall be not less than 1 zolotnik. The 5 ruble piece whose weight is less than 1 zolotnik shall not be accepted within the limitations of the law.

Description of the new gold piece of 5 rubles, equivalent to a third of an imperial:

The obverse of the piece shall bear the effigy, in profile, of His Majesty the Emperor, with the inscription in exergue "Nicholas II, by the Grace of God, Emperor and Autocrat of all the Russias."

The reverse shall bear the arms of the empire, with the inscription in exergue, "5 rubles," and the year of coinage.

The edge of the piece is ornamented with an arabesque.

At the same time as the previous ukase was issued, another edict was promulgated. This ukase completed, in structure, the monetary reform. Its text follows:

By Our ukase of January 3, of the current year 1897, having fixed the value of the imperial at 15 rubles and that of the half imperial at 7 rubles 50 kopecks, We have established upon a uniform basis the bills of credit of the State and of the gold coin, and thus identifying the ruble as the fifteenth part of an imperial, therefore, the ruble contains 17.424 doli of fine gold. Subsequently, by Our ukase dated August 29, of this year, the bases for the issue of the bills of credit of the State guaranteed by gold were established, and that guaranty was fixed in the proportion of 1 imperial for every 15 rubles.

Considering it of utility to make the text of the inscriptions on the bills of credit of the State agree with the provisions of the above-cited ukases, We order conformably with your proposition, which has been examined by a special committee, that the printed text of the bills of credit henceforth to be issued shall be modified as follows:

Instead of the present printed text, the note shall bear the indication of its value as follows: The Bank of Russia redeems the bills of credit in gold coin without limitation as to amount (1 ruble is equal to 1/15 of an imperial, and corresponding to 17.424 doli of fine gold.) Instead of the heading of the paragraphs 1 and 2 extracted from the manifesto, the notes shall bear the following inscriptions: (1) "The exchange of the bills of credit of the State for gold coin is guaranteed by all the resources of the State." (2) "The bills of credit of the State shall circulate throughout the entire extent of the Empire at par with gold." There is no change in the third paragraph.

The only gold coin I have not covered in this article is the 10 ruble gold piece. The procedure in this case was slightly different. It first was coined late in 1898 at the St. Petersburg mint, but was not announced by Nicholas II until after coinage had begun. This decree, signed by the em-

peror on December 11, 1898, at Livadia, read as follows:

In order to facilitate the keeping of accounts in gold coin, We have considered it well to have coined and put in circulation, besides the imperials, the half imperials... and the 5 ruble piece, a gold piece of the value of 10 rubles.

Consequently, conforming to the plan of the minister of finance, plan examined by the Counsel of the Empire, We order:

1. To coin the gold pieces of 10 rubles upon the following basis: The weight of fine gold in the piece of 10 rubles to be 1 zolotnik, 78.24 doli (7.74233 grams...).

This piece to contain 900 parts of fine gold and 100 parts of copper. One pound of gold coins of the above mentioned fineness represents 47 gold pieces of the value of 10 rubles, plus 6 rubles and 3/37/121 kopecks.

The diameter of the 10 ruble piece is fixed at 89 points. The gross weight of this piece is 2 zolotniks and 1.6 doli. In the coinage of the gold 10 ruble pieces the tolerance of fineness to be one-thousandth and the tolerance of weight four-tenths of a dola. The minimum weight which this gold piece must have, to be accepted at par by the public treasuries, is not to be less than 2 zolotniks and 0.6 dola.

The 10 ruble piece of less weight than 2 zolotniks and 0.6 dola will not be accepted, under the restriction provided by the law.

2. To put said pieces in circulation.

The description of the coin, published in the bulletin, read as follows:

The obverse of the piece bears the effigy, in profile, of His Majesty the Emperor, with the inscription in exergue, "By the Grace of God, Nicholas II, Emperor and Autocrat of all the Russias."

Upon the edge of the piece the weight of the fine gold it contains is indicated.

Thus ended the series of imperial ukases that paved the way of Russian monetary reform. Only one step was lacking in the program — a formal law embodying the ukases. This law was signed by the emperor on June 7, 1899. It was, in effect, a combination of the law of December 17, 1885, with the addition of the imperial ukases. The sections of the earlier law that conflicted with the ukases were abolished. The ratio of gold to silver was established at 1 to 23.2438. The United States at that time had a ratio of 1 to 15.5.

It is of note that the coinage of silver was not affected by this reform. Although the value of the silver in the ruble had slipped to 45 kopecks, Russia's change to the gold standard eliminated a need for a change in the silver coins.

A huge amount of silver was coined by Russia during the period 1895 to 1899. It totaled 190 million rubles or about 97 million dollars. The coinage

of gold during the period 1897 to 1899 nearly 978 million rubles or about 500 was 135 million pieces of gold worth million dollars.

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AUSTRIA



25 Schillings, 1964. Silver. Obverse: Head of the author, right, legend above: FRANZ GRILLPARZER, date on the bottom. At the left of the head, the name of the engraver: GRIENAUER. Reverse: Value, numeral 25 within inner ring or circle, surrounded by nine shields of the provinces, a small laurel spray and SCHILLING below, legend around: REPUBLIK OSTERREICH. Inscription around the edge: FUENF UND ZWANZIG SCHILLING. This reverse was used only on about 3,500 proofs, the balance of this issue having 10 shields around the value without the laurel spray. This coin was illustrated in *The Numismatist*, August, 1964, p. 1033.

GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC (Eastern Zone)

10 Pfennigs, 1963. Aluminum. Obverse: Arms in center, legend around: DEUTSCHE DEMOKRATISCHE REPUBLIK. Reverse: Value and date below, mint



mark A above leaf on top. Plain edge. (Lauren Benson)

INDIA



3 Paisas, 1964. Aluminum. Obverse: Asoka pillar in the center, Deva Nagari legend at left: "Bharat," in English at right: INDIA. Reverse: Numeral 3 in center between floral design, date below, value written out on top. Hexagonal planchet. (Krishna H. Prodhan)

JERSEY



1/4 of a Shilling, 1964. Nickel-brass. Obverse: Crowned effigy of the queen to right. Legend around: QUEEN ELIZABETH THE SECOND. Reverse: Arms in center dividing date. Legend above: BAILIWK OF JERSEY, value below: ONE FOURTH OF A SHILLING. 12-sided planchet, thicker than the round planchet of 1960 of same denomination. (Frank Lacheen, L. Benson)

KUWAIT



100 Fils, 1962. Copper-nickel. Obverse: Value within inner circle, English legend below: KUWAIT. Arabic legend on top: "al Kuwait," replacing legend of 1961 issues. Reverse: A dhow (native sail ship), Christian and Mohammedan dates below: 1962-1382. Reeded edge. Other values with the new legend are:

5 and 10 Fils, 1962. Nickel-brass.

20 and 50 Fils, 1962. Copper-nickel. All similar to the above except for values and size of planchets. (Lauren Benson)

PERSIA (IRAN)



1/4 Kran, 1916. Silver. Obverse: Lion

walking to left, crown above, solar date 1334 AH between feet of lion, value below: "rubh (1/4)," all within wreath. Reverse: Legend within inner circle: "Sultan Ahmad Shah Kakhan (ibn) Sultan," surrounded by wreath in outer circle, value on the bottom. Reeded edge. (Submitted by Glen H. Reno, translation courtesy H. Kaslove, associate curator, ANS museum.)

SEYCHELLES



5 Cents, 1964. Bronze. Obverse: Crowned young bust of the queen, right. Legend around: QUEEN ELIZABETH THE SECOND. Reverse: Numeral 5 within inner circle, on top in the outer circle: SEYCHELLES, on the bottom, value written out: FIVE CENTS and date. Plain edge. This is the first coin of this value struck since 1948. (Courtesy Lauren Benson)

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The Turtle is back. See Notes & Queries section of this number of *The Numismatist*.

Cab Atkins, P. O. Box 162, Centuria, Mo. recently acquired the *Silver Dollar Digest* and merged it with his monthly *Cab's Coin Collector*. Collectors of U. S. "crowns" will find the annual subscription fee of \$2.00 worth their while. Cab also edits the Cen-

tral States Numismatic Society's *Centinel*, which recently appeared in a becoming new cover and sharpened format. Cab is a man of ability and integrity which accounts for his widening sphere of influence among true coin collectors.

A completely rewritten and expanded 3rd edition of *Rennick's Australian Commonwealth Coinage Guide* by Dion H. Skinner, 56 pp. is off the press and may be obtained from Rennicks & Company, Ltd., 246 Unley Rd, Unley, South Australia, for 12s. 6d. or \$1.50 U. S. Jerome H. Remick, who sent us the information on the book and supplied comments on it, recommends the work to collectors. "This catalog is certainly the leader in its field," says Remick. Prices are in five conditions from good to extra fine. New material includes listing and illustrations of many varieties of the sterling coinage; listing of gold coins; tokens; internment camp tokens; brief articles on patterns and proof sets. "Illustrations of all copper-nickel pattern ½d and 1d of 1919-1921 would be most useful," according to Remick. Pictures and listing of Australian bank notes "would make the catalog numismatically complete."

An important work, *Carthaginian Gold and Electrum Coins* by G. K. Jenkins, deputy keeper of coins at the British museum, and R. B. Lewis, M. A., F. S. A., 140 pp., 38 plates, £5. 5s. Od., postage 2s. 6d. extra, is Royal Numismatic Society special publication No. 2. Available from Spink & Sons, Ltd., 5-7 King St., London SW 1, England. The last comprehensive account of Carthaginian coinage is Muller's *Numismatique de l'ancienne Afrique*, published in 1861-2. In the intervening 100 years much new material has accumulated.

The present work is intended as a synopsis of what is now known. Though primarily concerned only with the gold and electrum, enough attention, including three plates of illustrations, has been given to the silver and bronze to enable the reader easily to relate the gold and electrum coins to those struck in the other metals. With the aid of the new material, both hoards and individual coins, it has been possible to classify the gold and electrum into 18 chronologically consecutive groups, and to date each

group within fairly close limits. In addition to general discussion on grouping, mints, and metrology, the work contains a catalogue of all coins of which it has been possible to obtain particulars. The plates include illustrations of more than 500 die varieties, as well as many enlargements of significant details.

Coins and Collectors by Q. David Bowers, is a lavishly illustrated cloth bound book of over 200 pages published by Windsor Research Publications, Inc., Empire Bldg., Johnson City, N. Y. 13790 for \$5.95 per copy, postpaid. S. W. Freeman's full review of it will appear in our April issue. — ELSTON G. BRADFIELD

Guest Editorial

A PLAINTIVE PLEA

The director of the South African mint has a problem. American coin collectors seem to be contributing greatly to his difficulties and he has issued an appeal for their coöperation in relieving it.

He has been getting about 600 daily inquiries from American numismatists, asking for proof sets of South African coins. Some of these people forgot to include their names and addresses, or signed their orders in an illegible manner.

Of the readable ones, some seem to be indecisive. For example, they order and pay for two proof sets and several weeks later forward a request that their orders be changed to one proof set, one uncirculated set and perhaps a 50¢ piece. This causes the mint a certain amount of confusion.

Because the mint struck only limited quantities of certain items, it has had to limit the allocation of these numismatic items on the basis of one or two per customer. Many people have ignored this limitation and placed orders for additional items, sending payments in excessive amounts. The mint has had to return the superfluous money, which it considers an onerous and unnecessary task.

To import gold coins into the United States—even for collectors—an import license is necessary. Some people apparently don't know this, but the mint cannot send gold coins to American buyers until it has received import authorization from the U. S. government.

Collectors interested in gold coins should seek information regarding permission from: Inquiries, Office of Domestic Gold and Silver Operations, U. S. Treasury Department, 15th St. and Pennsylvania Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C. 20220.

The coöperation of American collectors is especially requested in not ordering and paying for gold coins until they have fully investigated the procedure in obtaining official import licenses.

Final decisions on the amount and regulation of proof sets for 1965 have not yet been made. Yet some American collectors have already placed orders for 1965 items. When the procedure has been determined, information on the 1965 proof sets will be forwarded to American numismatists on the mint's mailing list.

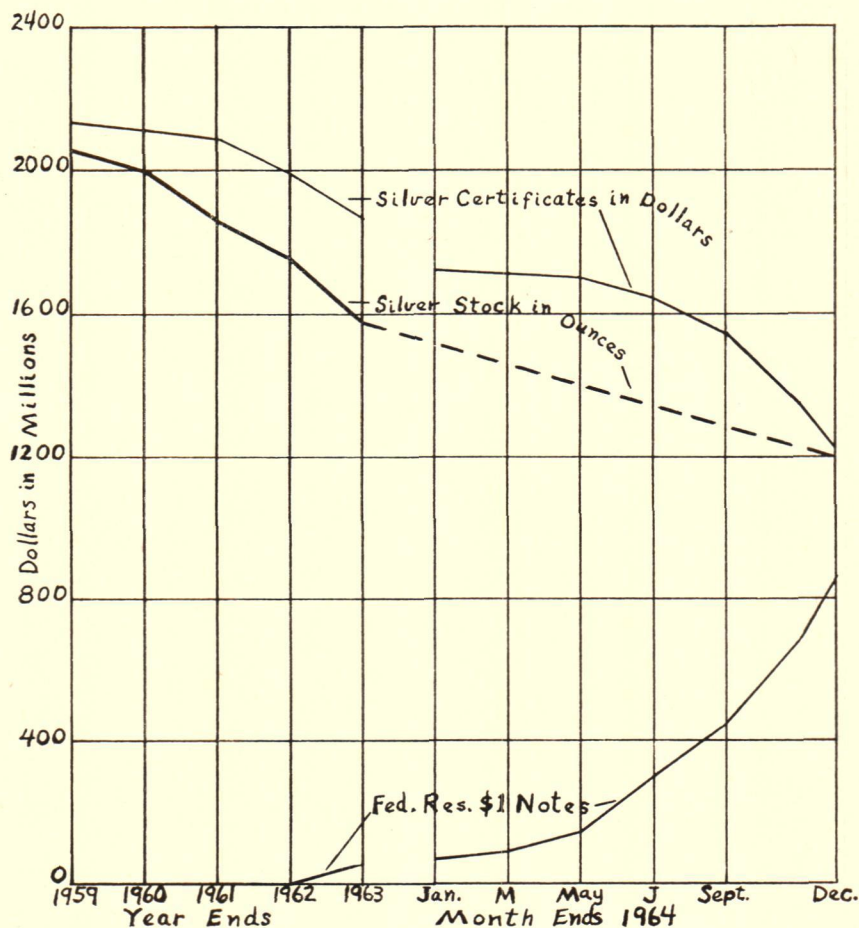
If any collector feels he may not be on the mailing list and would like to receive this information, he may send a request that his name be added to: The Director, South African Mint, P. O. Box 464, Pretoria, Republic of South Africa. — *South African Scope*, January, 1965.

DEMONETIZED BURMESE CURRENCY

Between May 17, 1964, when the Burmese government demonetized notes for K 50 (about \$10) and K 100, and August 11, about 76 per cent of these notes were surrendered. On the latter date the government announced that legal tender currency would be refunded to holders of these notes who deposited them with the government.

Silver Reserves and Paper Money

It is not always easy to differentiate between cause and effect, but that is not a problem in the change being made in the composition of our circulating paper money. Anyone who handles even a few small denomination notes can readily notice the increasing number of \$1 Federal Reserve notes being cir-



White metal, Blue seal certificates, Green seal notes

culated; but does he stop to wonder why the "Fed" notes are replacing the long familiar silver certificates?

Even if you don't care for statistics and exact figures, look at the trend of the three lines in the chart. First, observe the heaviest line which represents the treasury's stock of silver at the end of each year. Although world consumption of silver has exceeded production for quite a few years, the difference was not great prior to 1959. By the end of 1962, however, the treasury became alarmed at the rate at which its stockpile was being depleted in the effort to hold the price below the value of the metal in our coins. If the market price of silver rose much above its "monetary value" of \$1.2929+ per ounce,

it would be profitable to turn in silver certificates for the metal held by the treasury to back them. If it rose above \$1.42 per ounce, allowing 4¢ for processing, it would be profitable to melt our 90% subsidiary silver coins. In the words of Treasury Secretary Dillon, "We simply can not allow such a situation to develop."

In May, 1963, Congress approved legislation for the issuance of \$1 Federal Reserve notes so that silver certificates might be retired, thus releasing the silver backing for use in coins. The other two lines in the chart show the effect of this decision. Printing the new \$1 F.R. notes began on October 7, 1963, and the production of silver certificates was discontinued just one month later. It requires only a glance at the chart to guess fairly close to the time when we will have no silver certificates in our pockets and purses — they will be as scarce as Indian head cents by the end of the year. Of course, like Indian head cents, collectors and dealers have goodly numbers of silver certificates tucked away, so don't rush to the bank for a supply to sell at a big profit next year.

There's an old enigma as to which came first, the chicken or the egg. There is no puzzle involved in the change from blue seal to green seal notes — the shortage of silver was the cause. No one can foresee all of the results, but two things are evident: Very soon none of our paper money will be redeemable in coin or metal of equivalent value; the obsolescence and elimination of "money" that began with the use of checks and, more recently, credit cards is being accelerated. — GLENN S.

CALL FOR NOMINATION OF OFFICERS

An election of A.N.A. officers is held every two years in accordance with our bylaws. This is an election year. The elective offices are those of president, first vice president, second vice president, and six governors. Those elected to these nine offices will compose the board of governors for the two years following their installation at the 1965 convention. Our federal charter vests the control of the Association in the hands of this board. You are referred to the bylaws for other details of officer qualifications, duties and election procedure.

Nominations of qualified candidates may be made in writing by any member, club or individual, in good standing and must be sent to the office of the executive secretary on or before June 11, 1965, when nominations will close. The names of candidates who have agreed in writing to accept, if elected, the offices for which they were nominated will be published in *The Numismatist*.

The bylaws further provide that the election ballots cast shall be tabulated by an independent auditing firm. This year the CPA firm of Troupe, Kehoe, Whiteaker and Kent of Kansas City, Kans., has been selected. Each member entitled to vote will receive a ballot listing the nominees for the various offices. After registering his choices, the ballot is to be mailed by each member directly to the above mentioned accounting firm and received by it on or before August 10, 1965.

I ask each voting member of A.N.A. to aid in the selection of worthy officers who are capable and willing to lead the Association to greater growth and progress in the next two years. — P. K. ANDERSON, President.

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF A.N.A. CONVENTION

Pursuant to our bylaws, President P. K. Anderson announces that the annual convention of the American Numismatic Association will be held at Houston, Tex., August 25 to 28, 1965, in the Shamrock Hilton Hotel. This is officially designated as our 74th convention. The general chairman is A. I. Martin, 6207 Chevy Chase Dr., Houston, Tex. 77027.

PILGRIMAGE MEDAL BY VINCZE



The visit of Pope Paul VI to the Holy Land in January, 1964, was a significant occasion in the history of the papacy, the first time a pontiff had set foot in biblical lands. To mark this event, a medal has been struck and is available in platinum, gold and silver in several different sizes. It bears the portrait of Pope Paul VI, which appeared on a medal made early last year, on the obverse and the Domition on Mt. Zion on the reverse. The noted medalist, Paul Vincze, created both sides of the new medal. Distributor is Isnumat, 43, King George St., Jerusalem, Israel.

SALVATION ARMY MEDAL



A bronze medal, $2\frac{3}{4}$ inches in diameter, has been struck by The Salvation Army to commemorate the centennial of the group's founding in London by General William Booth. The basic design was prepared by Gene Murray, New York graphic arts illustrator, and adapted for medallion reproduction by Robert A. Weinman, sculptor. The medal is available for \$2.00 from The Salvation Army Trade Department, 321-323 W. 13th St., New York, N. Y. 10014.

NOTES & QUERIES

Collectors of Ancients: "The Turtle" Is Back!

The Turtle, published by the Ancient Coin Club of America, with the November, 1964 issue resumed monthly publication after an absence of 10 months. Its editor, John E. Hartman, 5107 39th Ave., South, Minneapolis, Minn. 55417, says it has now returned to a regular schedule. The names of some members have been lost and they will not receive the magazine unless they advise the editor.

"We would also like to invite anyone interested in ancient coins to become acquainted with us," Hartman stated. "We will send, on request, three consecutive numbers of our publication if the person desiring them will contact me."

No Mexican Proof Sets

The Mexican mint and the Bank of Mexico have categorically stated that no proof sets are now being sold or will be sold in the future by the Mexican government. These denials were issued following the arrest for questioning of three Mexicans and an American, Eliot J. Cashdan, for allegedly trying to swindle coin collectors by publicizing a false report that such coins were being made.

Cashdan is reported to have stated in an article in *Pace* that several thousand Mexican proof sets would soon be sold through "Numismatica de Mexico, S. A." A post office box number for the firm was erroneously printed that actually belongs to a well established coin dealer, Sergio Torres Martinez. After receiving many letters from the United States in his postal box addressed to the unknown "Numismatica de Mexico," Torres was approached by one of the Mexicans who demanded that the envelopes be turned over to him. Torres refused and visited the American embassy after learning of the article mistakenly carrying his mailing address. Later he contacted the police, who subsequently picked up the four. Some 1,200 envelopes, most containing checks or money, were reportedly seized by the police.

Coin Profiteering Bill In Senate

Senator Frank J. Lausche of Ohio on January 26 introduced a bill

(S. 718) to prohibit profiteering in coins of the United States which was read twice by its title and referred to the committee on the judiciary. The Senator said "I send to the desk a bill which would make it a crime for anyone to buy or sell any silver or minor coins of the United States for *monetary use* (italics mine — Editor) at a price in excess of the face value." Evidently this is aimed at the person who corners a large supply of coins which he offers to change-short businessmen at face plus "handling charge." Senator A. Willis Robertson of Virginia suggested the addition to the bill of a prohibition against melting down any silver coins.

[This bill would seem to have no affect on *bona fide* coin collecting but its course should be watched for possible amendments. This the A.N.A. is doing. — Editor]

KSNA Convention in May

The Louisville Coin Club will be host to the fifth annual Kentucky State Numismatic Association convention, May 28-30. The outstanding state event will take place in Stouffer's Inn, 2nd and Broadway in Louisville. Bourse Chairman Edward P. Sullivan may be contacted at 4215 Dolphin Rd., Louisville, Ky. 40220, and Exhibit Chairman John E. Storms at 1235 Belmar Dr., Louisville, Ky. 40213. General Chairman Walter H. Ragland's address is 9214 Cavalcade Ave., Valley Station, Ky. 40172.

Plans Underway for LNA Show

The Monroe Area Coin Club, A.N.A. 45511 and host for the Louisiana Numismatic Association 1965 convention, has well advanced plans made, according to J. L. Anders. The May 1-2 event will provide an opportunity for many new collectors to become better acquainted with this fascinating hobby, says Anders. It will be held at the Virginia Hotel in Monroe, La.

Since displays of rare and unusual numismatic items stimulate interest among both novice and experienced collectors, outstanding exhibits will be an important part of the convention. Exhibits Chairman Marvin Phillips reports that a number of exhibits have been entered by prominent numismatists, including Mrs. Roslyn Gorski's collection of mint errors. Trophies or

plaques are offered for the three top exhibits in seven competitive categories, including one for juniors. Those interested in entering an exhibit are cordially invited to contact Phillips at 1905 S. Grand St., Monroe, La.

There will be 36 bourse tables in the spacious ballroom to cater to the large crowd of collectors expected. Watch for further details to appear in various numismatic publications, but plan now to visit us in Monroe, La.

Wants A.N.A. Headquarters

Colorado City is making a strong bid for the new national headquarters of A.N.A. Enthusiastic support has been given by the city administration



A.N.A. Governor Ralph Cleaver, I., receives \$200 check from Pueblo Coin Club President Royal Harshman for the building fund. Next to Cleaver is Al Overton, auctioneer. Maurice Ostby, club past president, looks on approvingly.

and business and civic leaders, as well as by numismatists in the area.

The city council, showing its endorsement, has offered free land on which to locate the building at any one of four locations. Zebulon Pike Coin Club's Leonard Campbell called the council's action "a tremendous boost to our bid for the A.N.A. headquarters and museum. I think," he added, "I speak for the whole of Colorado Springs in saying that we would consider it a high honor if this city is selected." His club was one of the first contributors to the building fund several years ago, and has recently added enough to put it in the "250 Club" bracket. The nearby Pueblo Coin Club has just donated \$200 to the fund and expects to add

at least \$50 soon.

Campbell, George Middle, Al Overton and Henry Stark attended the recent city council meeting at which R. Keith Hook of the Chamber of Commerce briefed the council members on A.N.A. plans. He pointed out advantages of the city as a location, such as its educational and cultural environment, ideal year around climate which attracted more than two million tourists to the area last year, and the Broadmoor hotel which was host to many of the 325 conventions held in the Pikes Peak Region last year. Central location, proximity to Denver and modern transportation facilities are added reasons for the A.N.A. to consider Colorado Springs carefully.

Through the combined efforts of the community, the A.N.A. site selection committee will be shown at first hand, when it visits Colorado Springs, the many advantages of this area as the Association's future home.

Seeks Information On Allied Military Currency

A second and enlarged book on World War II Allied military currency is being planned for release later in 1965. The main reason for this new book is that much new information is being obtained that is needed to keep the interested collector fully informed. This includes data not in the original book on more than 100 notes of at least 15 countries. Illustrations will be included of at least one note from each group, plus others not available in the first book, and values will be revised and brought up to date.

To make this new edition as complete as possible, I am asking collectors who have added information to contact me as soon as possible. — RAYMOND S. TOY, 992 Hacienda Dr., El Cajon, Calif. 92020

Omaha Seeks A.N.A. Home

Omaha, Neb., claiming to be one of the fastest growing cities in the middle west, has made an attractive proposal to the Association to locate its national headquarters there. The city is served by several major railroads and airlines, and is conveniently located for motorists.

The site suggested by the Omaha Chamber of Commerce is over ¼ of an acre located in the cultural arts center being developed by Joslyn Memorial Art museum. The museum, valued at \$5 million, has 10 galleries

and areas containing exhibits of ancient and modern treasures, and over 2,700 members. It is believed that sufficient money can be raised from private Omaha sources to provide the land to A.N.A. at no charge, and tax concessions are available to nonprofit organizations in Nebraska.

A major consideration is the proposed long time loan of the Byron Reed coin collection, valued at \$1,500, 000, to the Association for exhibit in its proposed museum. Security for the museum, which must be given careful attention in any location, would be extended by a direct alarm signal to the Omaha central police headquarters.

While many details would have to be checked out and definite understandings reached on some phases of the proposals, interested parties in Omaha feel that they have much merit for careful consideration. A formal bid for the location of the national facility in Omaha has been made and will be studied by the proper A.N.A. officials.

Wisner Bank Note Lists To Be Revised by SOPMC

The Society of Paper Money Collectors, A.N.A. 44141, has launched the monumental task of revising and updating the state listings of obsolete bank notes which David C. Wisner compiled and published in *The Numismatist* over a 14 year period beginning in 1922. Although a number of unlisted notes have since come to light, the Wisner lists included over 18,700 issues. The magnitude of his work is more evident to those who realize that no previous reference work worthy of the name had been published in this field. The lists of a few states were reprinted in book form prior to the author's death in 1949 at the age of 92. While still valuable reference lists, these books are quite difficult to obtain now and are in need of revision.

President Thomas C. Bain of the society and several officers discussed the matter at the Cleveland A.N.A. convention and have set up an organization to undertake the time-consuming but important project. Bain appointed a committee of Fred R. Marckhoff, chairman, Dr. Julian Blanchard and George W. Wait to head up the work. Mrs. C. Elizabeth Osmun, daughter of original compiler Wisner, has consented to act as the special research consultant and to cooperate fully in the effort. She has some of her father's unpublished data on scrip

issues of various states, which will be included in the new work.

Marckhoff has announced that the first step in the project will be the selection and appointment of a chief researcher of each state in which notes were issued. In this connection, only the several forms of paper issues intended for use as money, regular or emergency, will be included, eliminating issues by the federal government; satirical, political and advertising notes and the business college currency not intended to be used as money; and the depression scrip of 1907 and 1933. After appointment, the state chief researchers will obtain and assemble data on notes from any and all available sources. The society will aid in this by making available a format for uniform listing and tabulating data, and by publishing pertinent notices and requests for additional information as necessary.

When the chief researchers have gone as far as possible with their respective assignments, their work is to be turned over to the chairman for his review and that of his committee. When the state lists are in approved form and as complete as seems possible, they will be turned over to Editor Barbara Mueller for publication in the society's quarterly *Paper Money*. Later publication in book or pamphlet form, possibly in cooperation with the A.N.A., is contemplated.

This is fully recognized as a long time project, but the first step has been taken. Next comes the appointment of state chief researchers, and Chairman Marckhoff requests that volunteers for this post contact him promptly. Send your name and address, state on which you would like to work, and any other pertinent information to Fred R. Marckhoff, 552 Park St., Elgin, Ill. 60120. Selections will be made and notification confirmed within about 60 days of receipt of applications.

Reagan Foundation Certified

Official certification of the Lewis M. Reagan memorial foundation for tax deduction purposes has been received from the internal revenue service, according to Sol Kaplan, managing director of the foundation. Kaplan states that the \$25,000 goal is in sight and urges all numismatists to send their contributions, large or small, to the foundation, 1201 Federal Reserve Bank Building, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202. The earnings of the fund are expended

for numismatic educational purposes. The latest project involves numismatic essay contests for junior numismatists with suitable awards recognizing their efforts.

State Bank of Indiana Notes

Dear Mr. Bradfield:

In conducting a study for publication on the notes issued by the second State Bank of Indiana, 1834 to mid-1855, I appeal to anyone having such notes to communicate the following facts to me: denomination, branch, date, signatures, plate letters and both serial numbers. More complete descriptions of any of these notes not listed in Dr. Skeen's article in the August, 1961, issue of *The Numismatist* will be much appreciated. — R. W. JULIAN, A.N.A. No. 29732, 1003 Riverside Dr., Logansport, Ind. 46947

TNA to Convene in Corpus Christi

Final plans for the seventh Texas Numismatic Association convention, and for entertaining the many who attend, gain momentum daily for staging the biggest one to date; and convention officials promise that quality will go along with size!



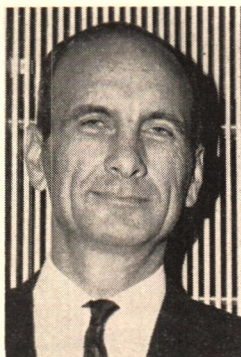
Margo Russell

The major numismatic event of South Texas, with "Good Neighbors" as the theme, will be held in Corpus Christi on March 26, 27 and 28 at the Robert Driscoll Hotel. Hosts will be the Corpus Christi and Liberty coin clubs, assisted by all clubs in TNA district eight.

Joe B. Davis, general chairman, assures everyone that the entire staff of the Driscoll Hotel will be on hand to offer every convenience to guests for a comfortable stay in the sunshine city of the south. Those who have not made hotel reservations are urged to do so immediately by writing to Lamar Floda, hotel facilities chairman, 441 Miramar Pl., Corpus Christi, Texas 78411, or direct to the hotel.

Lee Behannon, exhibits chairman,

sends word that exhibit entries are coming in nicely but he would like to see more from junior members. In addition to splendid trophies offered in regular competition, there will be the Bill and Chris Johns special junior exhibit award for presentation to some worthy junior; and the Harvey Bruns special exhibit award — Coins of Mexico. The Johns award was established to stimulate displaying at TNA conventions and has been won by Texas juniors Terry O'Sullivan of San Antonio and Paul Washburn III of Abilene. The Bruns award will make its first appearance at this convention and the exhibitor must display only coins of Mexico, not including medals, tokens or paper money, to qualify. Exhibit entry forms may be obtained from Behannon at 310 Santa Monica, Corpus Christi, Texas 78411.



Clyde Hubbard

A special attraction in the exhibit room will be the outstanding display of wooden money to be shown by Wendell Morningstar of Radnor, Ohio, president of the new International Organization of Wooden Money Collectors. The display will include the history of wooden money; wooden "nickels" of the Northwest Territory celebration in Ohio; and the wooden "nickels" of Texas.

The educational program promises to be the best ever presented at a TNA convention, featuring two internationally known people: Mrs. Margo Russell, executive editor of *Coin World*, and Clyde Hubbard of Mexico City, noted authority on coins of Mexico and the Spanish colonial period. A review of the last five years since TNA was organized will be given by President E. H. Brooks, who will be moderator also for the panel of speakers. This event is scheduled for Saturday evening, March 27. There will be an awards breakfast Sunday with Charles Atkins, publisher of *Cab's Coin Collector* and editor of the *Centinel*, official publication of the CSNS,

as the principal speaker.

Special activities planned for the ladies include a brunch on Friday and a luncheon on Saturday featuring an outstanding speaker. During the convention, tours have been planned for visitors to King ranch, the U.S. Naval Air Station, Padre Island and local points of interest. Davis reports good response on the pre-convention tour to Mexico City, leaving Corpus Christi at 7 a.m. Monday. Upon arrival at Brownsville and before departing for Mexico, the Brownsville Coin Club will hold a welcome party. While in Mexico and staying at the Del Prado Hotel, tours will be conducted to the National Palace, Bank of Mexico, museums, pyramids and Shrine of Guadalupe. Davis said the cost of the tour is only \$100, including all transportation, hotels, sightseeing, meals, tips and gratuities. A certificate of small pox vaccination is necessary to re-enter the United States on the return trip Thursday.

The two-session auction will be conducted by William Hanks of San Antonio Friday evening and Saturday afternoon. For full details contact Clarence Davis, auction chairman, P. O. Box 4291, Corpus Christi, Texas 78408. General information inquiries may be directed to Gen. Chm. Joe B. Davis, 638 DeForest Street, Corpus Christi, Texas 78404.

Colorado Invites You

The seventh annual Southern Colorado Numismatic Association's convention is being vigorously promoted for June 4-6 by some well qualified numismatists. General chairman is the well known Al Overton of Pueblo, where the event will take place in the Continental Motor Hotel. Rocky Ford's Herman Boraker will see that the emphasis is again placed on exhibits, and Leonard Campbell of Pikes Peak Coins will have charge of the auction. A.N.A. Governor Ralph F. Cleaver has his hand in the affair also, and reminds collectors that early June is the ideal time of the year to vacation and visit in beautiful Colorado. He further advises that there will be an organizational meeting this year with an election of officers to make the Association official. So the invitation is out for everyone to be in Pueblo the first weekend in June for a numismatic treat and a bit of a spring vacation. If you want certain details or information, write to Overton at P. O. Box 893 in Pueblo, or

Boraker at P.O. Box 204 in Rocky Ford, or Cleaver at 437 S. 5th in Brighton — all in Colorado, of course.

Numismatist Honored By Jewish Federation

Guests of honor at a testimonial dinner tendered by the stamp and coin division of the Federation of Jewish Philanthropies in New York City January 18 were Sylvester Colby, past president and currently a director of the American stamp dealers association, and DeWitt Stern, former president of the New York association of accident and health underwriters leading numismatic insurance firm. Coin division chairman was Benjamin Stack; members were Vernon L. Brown, Nat Deutsch, Jack Friedberg, M. L. Kaplan, Lester Merkin, Seymour Pike, Hans M. F. Schulman, Isadore Synderman, William Fox Steinberg, Emanuel Strauss, Louis Werner and Charles Wormser.

Reward of \$5,000 Offered

Tracy L. Turner, Jr. of Vero Beach, Fla., offers a reward of \$5,000 for information leading to the recovery of stolen coins and jewelry. Any information should be furnished to the Vero Beach Police Dept., the FBI or Mr. Turner.

Purchase of Canadian Uncirculated Sets Stopped

Swamped by orders for more than 2,000,000 Canadian 1965 "proof-like" sets on January 2, opening day for the acceptance of orders, Norval A. Parker, master of the Royal Canadian mint, on the same day directed that no more applications would be received. All subsequent letters were to be returned to senders.

Interpex Exhibition Features Kennedy Items

The 7th annual Interpex international stamp and coin show March 19-21 will feature stamps, coins and medals pertaining to the late President Kennedy. The collection belongs to Dr. Gerald J. Steinberg of Bethesda, Md. The exhibition will be held in New York's Americana hotel under the auspices of Industrial Exhibitions, Inc., 17 E. 45th St., New York 17, N. Y.

Club President Speaks on Silver

The Missouri Numismatic Society, St. Louis, was accorded recognition when President Albert Wick was asked to appear on January 5 on the popular

Charlotte Peters' prime noontime show emanating live from KTVI to discuss the shortage of silver and coins. A 15 minute segment of the show was devoted to questions by Miss Peters and her staff which were answered by Wick.

Wick enumerated three major contributors to the silver and coin shortages: (1) World wide consumption of silver is greater than production; (2) a near standstill in silver production versus an ever increasing population; (3) greatly increased use of coins in automatic devices such as vending machines, parking meters, laundries, buses, subways, toll roads, automats, etc., and in regular trade channels. "This is borne out," stated Wick, "by the 45 per cent increase of the 1963 mintage of 3½ billion in 1964, and the expected tripling of it during 1965. In addition, the ever increasing use of silver by industry cannot be overlooked."

Wick observed that the last 50 years has seen the United States as the largest buyer, holder, seller, and user of silver, with silver dollars minted by the millions and stored in vaults. "The monetary value of silver, \$1.29 per ounce," he stated, "was far above the then market value. As consumption increased and the value went up, the stock pile went down until now our silver dollar reserves are about used up. The price of silver equals some coin values, and there is talk of coins being melted down for their silver content if the price of silver goes much higher."

When asked to what degree the collector is responsible for the present silver and coin shortage, Wick emphasized that although coin collecting undoubtedly is a contributing factor, it, by its very nature, by no means represents the real threat. He pointed out that the true numismatist does not confine his collecting to silver products only but embraces currency, medals, tokens, etc., which are made of other metals and materials, being primarily interested in completing date collections, proof and mint sets, quality and design, rarities, etc. "For this reason," he continued, "obviously the silver shortage and talk of other metal substitutions for silver in coins does not carry for the numismatist the impact it does to the various metal industries who (*sic*), for self preservation in-

terests, favor more widespread usage of their particular products."

When asked to cite a specific instance wherein the elimination or reduction of silver from or in coins would produce an immediate adverse situation, Wick pointed to the vending machine interests which would be forced to change millions of dollars worth of equipment now geared to reject objects deficient in required silver content. "However," he continued, "despite the various objections raised to the elimination or reduction of silver in our coinage, many persons eminent in the numismatic area favor such a move as a deterrent to the increasing silver shortage." He named Dr. V. Clain-Stefanelli, curator of coins at Smithsonian Institution, and Glenn B. Smedley, asst. to the editor of *The Numismatist* and A.N.A. public relations officer, as two such advocates.

AT CHASE MANHATTAN



Visitors to the Chase Manhattan Bank money museum take a close look at a new exhibit of early American currencies. Among the items on display are three varieties of New England wampum, Pomo magnesium beads and clam shells, Alaskan copper shield money, dentalium shells, a woodpecker's scalp, beaver's pelt and tobacco. According to the curator, Don Taxay, the copper shield was used by the Kwakiutl Indians of Alaska who valued it in terms of blankets. The several strings of wampum, he continued, are among the finest known.

Before the next membership list is published, notices will be sent to all members so that those wishing their names omitted may so request then.

It Is Possible

Do you recall when you were young, very young, you chanced to come across something which stirred you as nothing else ever had before? Perhaps this something was a gun, a toy, a gee-gaw which aroused within you a burning desire for ownership. The only obstacle was the price tag.

You counted your pennies, your nickels, your dimes and laboriously calculated how much was lacking before you could transact business and acquire the object of your desire. You worked hard — mowing lawns, chopping kindling, throwing papers, washing dishes for your sister. And in the secrecy of your bedroom you, miser-like, counted your treasures and estimated the days, even the hours when the amount would be enough.

The consuming desire for this something which had caught your eye and occupied your thinking drove you on until one day exultation welled up within you, nearly choking you. You realized this was the day, the moment about which you had dreamed. You marched downtown to the imagined blare of trumpets and throbbing drums. This was it, the real thing! This was not a fleeting visit to see if the showcase still contained your prized something. As if in a daze you heard voices, your own self telling the storekeeper why you were there. And that wise old man very solemnly counted the mass of pennies and nickels and dimes you showered on the counter. "Seems to be all here, down to the last penny," you heard him say. "She's all yours, sonny."

Clutching the something for which you had labored so long and hard, you ran all the way home. There away from inquiring eyes, your hand lovingly touched and caressed it, your eyes sparkling, your smile lighting up your whole face. You forgot the cost in labor and anxiety — it was yours now and nothing else mattered.

How many times since then have these firsts come into your life? Your first car, your first home, the first deal you made for an elusive coin to fill a vacant space in your collection. It's an old story, an old feeling, but each time reliving in part the thrill you experienced that very first time so long ago.

The opportunity is yours now in a most unusual way to relive again that very first time you felt the pride of ownership and achievement. That opportunity of yours is to "own" a part of a great national home for the American Numismatic Association. "Oh, maybe only a brick or two," you say. But these can be yours just as surely as that first "something" was.

We've heard all of the logical reasons why we should work towards this goal. All of the varied activities of the Association would be brought under one roof, at one place. Founding a great money museum would attract countless donors and make possible numismatic treasures for future generations to view. A library and audio-visual materials would be housed efficiently and given a chance to grow to greater stature. The business of the Association would be transacted more efficiently, more promptly and at less cost.

Your business sense, your cold intellectual reasoning, tell you this is all true. Yet perhaps you have not been moved to make your contribution to this great goal. Come then, match that moment years ago when your heart was warmed by your first pride of ownership! It is possible to let yourself experience once again the emotion that brought within you a glow, a feeling of satisfaction as you "buy" your part of this great project — a headquarters home for the American Numismatic Association. — JOHN W. DUNN, A.N.A. No. 25156

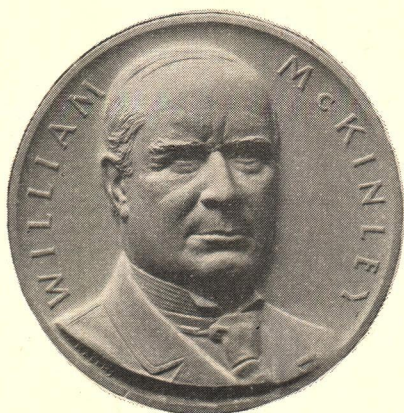
Editorial

ONCE UPON A TIME

Once upon a time hospital beds were plentiful, and patients were thought to require lengthy hospitalization. Today hospital beds are in short supply, and patients are thought to be better off with lesser hospitalization.

Once upon a time silver was plentiful and nickel was in great demand; nickel was withdrawn from the 5¢ piece and silver substituted. Today nickel is plentiful and silver is in short supply; silver may be withdrawn from our coins and nickel substituted. — ELSTON G. BRADFIELD

MCKINLEY MEDAL



The William McKinley medal is the 15th in the series commemorating American Presidents. Ralph J. Menconi produced the medal, which is available from the Presidential Art Medals, Inc., P. O. Box 187, Englewood, Ohio. It will be struck as follows: 25 serially numbered pieces in pure platinum at \$500.00 each, 6,500 serially numbered pieces .999 pure silver at \$10.00 each, and an unlimited quantity of bronze pieces at \$2.50.

A Little Knowledge Is A Profitable Thing*

For the first time in my numismatic career I had the pleasant experience of participating in a strictly educational convention, better known as a numismatic forum. The Chicago Coin Club programmed this affair on October 18, a date which may mark the starting point for a future emphasis on the educational aspects of our hobby. The idea is not new; old time A.N.A. conventions had no bourse or auction. And lately a few clubs, notably the Oklahoma City Coin Club, have held forums. The format of these shows is simple enough. Three or four coin authorities usually lecture on numismatic subjects, while collectors arrange displays and earn awards for excellence of exhibit and knowledge conveyed.

These forums have received neither front page headlines nor record-breaking attendance, and my purpose in mentioning the Chicago event is to point up the general absence of coin dealers. The few who do attend shows of this sort enthusiastically join collectors to broaden their knowledge of numismatics. They look upon such gatherings as a sort of college, and by learning from experienced scholars they pass on knowledge and forge a real link with the numismatic fraternity of the future.

It isn't enough to conduct a coin dealership with only a few bags and rolls of late date coins and a handful of proof sets. The survival of the individual dealer must depend upon his professional approach, based in turn upon the depth of his numismatic knowledge. To gain and sustain confidence, a dealer ought to know more about coins than his clientele. While coin supplies may be merchandised successfully with the simple aid of proper display methods, coins themselves have no such trademarks. They are objects of art, steeped in history and romance. It takes a man with a scholar's knowledge and a connoisseur's appreciation to best accommodate today's numismatists.

The perceptive coin dealer owes it to himself to support numismatic forums. On the one hand, these programs contribute to his own knowledge. And, just as important, they bode well for the future of the hobby itself, in which the dealer's own future is so intimately involved. — RICHARD S. YEOMAN

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HELLO, CONVENTIONERS, WHEREVER YOU ARE

You may be basking in the sun or enjoying a winter wonderland, but here in Houston we're "living" in the A.N.A. convention week, August 25-28.

So come with us for a pleasant, exciting and interesting cruise and tour. Yes, we said cruise! Rise and shine. It's Friday, August 27. Don your casual clothes and comfortable shoes. This is the day we will board the air conditioned M. U. *Sam Houston*, flagship of the port of Houston, for a leisurely ride down the famed man-made waterway, known as the ship channel. This deepsea 50-mile channel is framed by Houston's vast industrial complex.

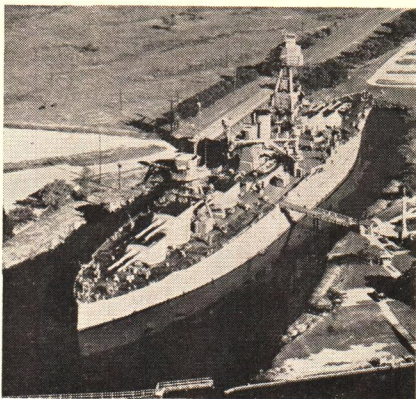
Will Rogers said, "Houston dared to dig a ditch and bring the sea to its door." This is exactly what it did. The "big ditch" opened the port of Houston to ocean traffic in 1915. It has played a key role in the city's emergence as one of the nation's greatest trade centers and the heart of the vital petrochemical industry. Texans have always thought big but it is doubtful that the civic leaders responsible for changing a muddy bayou into a sea going channel thought their city would become the nation's 3rd ranking port.

As we cruise along, our yacht will rub noses with ocean liners and freighters from the world's ports. Long before reaching historic San Jacinto State Park, our destination, you will catch a glimpse of the 35-foot star atop a stately obelisk—the San Jacinto monument. At night this lighted star is a warm beacon of welcome to land and sea travelers alike.

Upon arrival, we will leave the boat and stretch our legs as we roam amid the trees to relive a moment of history dear to the hearts of Texans. We will stand on the spot where General Antonio Lopez de Santa Anna surrendered to General Sam Houston. Across the path, we will see the tallest memorial monument in the world reflected in its own pool. Finished in 1939, this 570-foot shaft commemorates the heroes of the battle of San Jacinto. This quick and decisive battle won for Texas her freedom in 1836. Walking around the base of the monument, we review the significant phases of the Anglo-American colonization of Texas depicted by a frieze. Inside, we will browse amid displays of Texana from the days of Indian occupation to the present. Those who

wish may take the elevator almost to the star for a beautiful panoramic view of this historic area.

Then we visit the U.S.S. *Texas* — proud veteran of two world wars and a dozen campaigns. A present from



U.S.S. Texas

the U.S. Navy to the State of Texas, this battleship is believed to be the only surviving dreadnaught of its class. Permanently berthed at this historic site, she is the only battleship monument in the nation.

Happily tired, we will board an air conditioned bus for Houston. Lunch, did we hear you ask? Glad you asked, because we are hungry, too. Luncheon plans are in mind but until completed you will just have to trust us. Lunch we will have, so don't sneak a gooey sweet roll into your knapsack. We've had a busy day but the ride home will be restful and we'll be back in time for the afternoon meetings. Remember this trip when you register. No one, and we include you, should leave Texas without a visit to her shrine of independence. Here's your golden opportunity. Anchors aweigh!

Convention Conveniences

Say hello to Chris Johns and Suzy Romberg. Chris thought she was practicing but Suzy says she bought ticket number one for the ladies luncheon. However, Chris won't be practicing when you find her and her ladies at the service desk. This station will be an important oasis near the registration center. You can't miss it and you mustn't do so. All sorts of vital business will be transacted there, such as getting your tickets for all special

events. They will be selling the pair of convention medals, bronze and silver housed in beautifully golden lettered plastic cases. More on this later.

This well informed crew will have the latest information about any con-



Suzy Romberg standing, Chris Johns seated under welcome sign.

vention program changes. Brochures, maps and other local data will be available if you want to plan a do-it-yourself side trip. In fact, Chris says, "Ask us. If we don't know, we'll find out." We even overheard them talking about a lost and found bureau. Ladies, you'll know where to check should your husbands "get out of pocket!"

Chris wants us to remind you to drop by the service desk to make your table reservations for the Saturday evening banquet. She'll have a plat of the table arrangements and will reserve tables on a first come basis. We're bubbling with enthusiasm about this gala spectacular. Plans are in the hopper for an unusual evening. That's all we are allowed to say at this time, but here's an inside tip — if you've any notion this will be a humdrum, run-of-the-mill affair, you're in for a most exciting surprise.

Planning for pleasure **is** always fun. Do come and share it with us. — DORIS MARTIN, Publ. Chm.

CHAIRMAN REPORTS ON FUND RAISING DRIVE

Dear A.N.A. Members:

During the Cleveland convention last August a drive was launched to raise \$250,000 for a national home and headquarters for our Association. The response of the numismatic fraternity has been tremendous. Individuals, including dealers, and organizations in every section of our country and in many others have volunteered their time, effort and money to make the drive a success. It has now passed the halfway mark, as recorded on our drive thermometer, and continues to make splendid progress toward its goal. Last month was the best yet with over \$28,600 contributed by 455 donors, as shown in the list published in this issue. Altogether, about 1325 individuals, clubs and other organizations have shown their faith in the future of the hobby and the A.N.A. with gifts toward the biggest project it has ever undertaken.

In addition to these contributors, other individuals, many of whom are community leaders, have encouraged and obtained offers of fine building sites in more than a dozen cities for the new headquarters. These sites are valuable and choice parcels of property, well located in public and cul-

tural areas. They are offered to the A.N.A. without cost, and all of our facilities and property located on any of them will be free from local and state taxation. The cut-off date for site offers was February 1.

With money and sites available, our Association is well on the road toward having its own national home and headquarters. Last month the site selection committee started to study and analyze all of the building site offers, and this month will make its recommendations to the board of governors at the midyear meeting. Then the A.N.A. goal calls for the preparation of building plans to be considered by the board at the Houston convention in August, followed by actual construction promptly thereafter.

A year ago there were many skeptics; even at the Cleveland convention many doubted that the necessary funds could be raised. Some are still taking the "wait and see" attitude. The Association will be grateful to those who contribute even after plans are made and bricks are being laid. But the credit for realization of the dream will belong forever to those who really made it possible by provid-

ing the means and the financial assurance in advance.

As the fund raising drive enters the home stretch there is still much to be done. Only 60 days remain to get your coins and currency donations for the headquarters fund to Al Overton, P. O. Box 893, Pueblo, Colo. 81002. Donated items will be sold at the A.N.A. national convention auction in Houston in August. It takes time to prepare, print and distribute a large auction catalog. So act now! Ship all items you wish to give immediately to Overton, the authorized and bonded auctioneer for this historic sale. He will list your name in the catalog if you send material that can be used in this sale.

If you prefer, mail a check for your contribution direct to A.N.A. Executive Secretary Don Sherer, 3520 N. 7th St., Phoenix, Ariz. 85014. Whether you send a check or auction material, Don will issue a receipt to you and see that your name and gift are properly recorded in the permanent list of honored donors whose generosity and support will be acknowledged in *The Numismatist* and by a plaque and memorial listing in the new building.

Ralph Cleaver, heading up the club drive, reports that club contributions have ranged all the way up to the \$2,000 check received from the Heart of America Numismatic Assn. He states that most clubs have set goals of \$1 to \$2 for each member. He has arranged for special recognition for clubs that contribute \$250 or more, to be known as the "250 Clubs." These clubs will be honored further by having their names placed on a plaque installed in the new home. Eight

clubs have reached this goal already and others are working to attain it. A.N.A. Vice President Matt Rothert has sent letters to over 500 clubs which hold conventions or shows, asking that they auction their No. 1 bourse table and donate the proceeds to the building fund. Such an auction at the A.N.A. Cleveland convention realized \$4,000 for the fund from the sale of the No. 1 table at this year's Houston convention.

All this adds up to progress toward a fine national facility for the enjoyment and advancement of numismatics. It will make possible more and better service to members and numismatics in general through increased organizational efficiency, and provide for the growth and expansion of the A.N.A. and its many programs. Now is the time to take part in this historic numismatic development as the fund raising drive enters the home stretch. Do your part; add your name to the honored list of forward thinking and public spirited individuals and organizations that have contributed already. They are making numismatic history through the world's largest and most active numismatic organization. And don't forget to take your income tax deduction.

If you give \$100 or more you will receive a special certificate of appreciation. If your gift is \$2,000 or more, you will also become an honored and permanent patron of A.N.A.; and a gift of \$10,000 or more will make you a benefactor. Let's finish our job by making the remainder of the drive as successful as the first half. — CHARLES M. JOHNSON, Home and Headquarters Committee Chairman.

NCW IS NEXT MONTH

The countdown begins! Next month, April 24 through May 1, is National Coin Week with our theme of "Good Will Through Numismatics." Some of you have plans underway by now, but for the slow pokes, the heel draggers, the stallers: the time has come to get busy. For the first time, *The Numismatist* will publish a list of names of all clubs and those who participate in the individual class by submitting an official entry report with evidence of taking part. Will that list be a pleasant surprise, or a shock to all

of us? If the list is to contain your name or club's, you must work to earn the prestige.

Have you ordered the supplies you will need for your exhibits? Have you selected your locations with the realization that you must not tempt someone by making it easy to pick up the material you are exhibiting? Have you measured the exhibit space so you can lay out your exhibit in advance and plan the most effective way of showing it? Have you read up on your material and typed or written

interesting information for your exhibit? While searching out information about your exhibit, have you also made notes so you can work up a newsworthy article for the newspapers? Many papers will print a well composed and educational article about an exhibit if it is furnished to them. Don't expect them to look at the exhibit and write it themselves; they are too busy and usually not versed in numismatics. Besides, you should know your material better than anyone else. It is important to give the location of the exhibit in the very first paragraph. This is good publicity for the person who is allowing you to use valuable space for the exhibit. Show your article to him and ask for his approval before sending it to the paper if possible, as he may have some suggestions to make and he might prefer to submit it to the papers himself. If he advertises with them, he may have a better chance than you have of getting it printed.

You may be able to plan a numismatic trip and outline a tour past all of the exhibits in an area. This need not be a conducted tour, although some schools might be interested in one. If the tour schedule is published, anyone could follow the outline at his convenience. You might put a card

with each exhibit saying, "Have you seen the other exhibits at the Quiet-plez Library, the Caloripus Restaurant, etc.?"

Will each of you take pictures of your own exhibits or will one member of the club take pictures of all? If you have no one to do this, contact your local schools and see if they have a hobby class in photography. One of their better students might be happy to have such an assignment. Take the pictures early so they can be developed and assembled for the scrapbook you will submit with your report.

Do not leave your planning until the last minute. You will have enough decisions to make then because something always gets fouled up that last minute. You should be prepared to cope with these unexpected problems by clearing as many others as possible ahead of time.

The best way we can fight the bad publicity we have been getting for our hobby is through a real bang-up National Coin Week. Now is the time for all good collectors to come to the aid of their hobby. Let the public know that there is a difference between coin collectors and coin hoarders. — LOIS OTIS, Chm., 17643 Lincoln Ave., Homewood, Ill. 60430

UNITED NATIONS MEDAL



The United Nations is issuing a medal commemorating its 20th anniversary this year. Struck by the Medallie Art Company, it will be distributed by the Coin and Currency Institute, 393 7th Ave., New York, N. Y. 10001. A limited issue of 7,500 silver pieces $1\frac{3}{4}$ " in diameter will be made, each serially numbered, and retailing for \$14.00 including excise tax. Bronze medals $1\frac{1}{2}$ " in diameter will sell for \$1.50. A larger size piece will be reserved exclusively for presentation purposes by the UN secretary-general.

THE DATE CONCEPT IN COINAGE

By

R. S. YEOMAN, LM No. 84

Paper read before Chicago Coin Club's educational forum, Oct. 18, 1964

IN EARLY coinage, it was important to imprint some indication of responsibility for the issue, such as an official's symbol, and in many instances, a numeral to indicate when the coins were struck. Usually the method of dating was simply a letter-numeral designating the year of the ruler's reign. Dating served the double purpose of furnishing a time reference and the prestige value of its relation to the king's tenure.

There is no intention to discuss early dating in more than general terms. What we are concerned with today is the beginnings and evolution of dates in modern terms, and how we as numismatists have come to view the system within the scope of our hobby. The recent announcement by United States treasury officials that the 1964 date will be continued into the 1965 calendar year has underlined the whole subject of coin dating. I will attempt to analyse the possible effects of this recently enacted law on the coin collecting fraternity.

Going back to the period near the end of medieval times, we encounter the earliest use of dates in terms of the Christian era. I have a well-circulated specimen, a short cross groschen of Aachen. The date is expressed in the form of a legend which circles the border of the coin ANNODOMINE MILLESIMO MCCCCVI (in the year of our Lord one thousand four hundred and six). The center of the reverse has the figure of Charlemagne holding a church in his right hand. Other early coins of this type dating include gros-tournois of Schonforst and Sicheim and the short cross and long cross groschens of Aachen to 1424.

15th Century Dates Extant

The Arabic or western numerals are found in coinage of the late 15th century. Exhibited here are two coins of Holland. The first is dated 1484, a silver briquet issued by Maximilian during the minority of Philip the Good. The second is a double briquet of Zeeland and Gelderland dated in the historic year 1492. A characteristic 4 is shown on both specimens. It is in

the form of an X with a loop at the top. We have had dates on coins in all western countries, in somewhat the same pattern, ever since.

Whatever the purpose for dating coins, we are quite sure they were not placed there to accommodate the coin collector. The fact that consecutive dating is so universal has brought about an unintended challenge—at least in the United States and Canada. Coupled with the added incentive of mintmarks, a collector has a simple, understandable series to challenge his instinct to collect a complete set. This human trait is expressed similarly in completing crossword puzzles and picture puzzles. For many people the fact that the objects are coins is secondary, but another human instinct, profit, rears itself rather soon. Fortunately a numismatic approach with all its facets of history, art and engraving techniques engages the interest of many and we can truthfully say the end justifies the means.

In the collecting of dates it is necessary only that the dates and mintmarks be known and established. The collector wants to know what he is looking for. The coin board serves the collector by providing this information, in an orderly arrangement with protection for his coins. This convenient tool has been credited with the widening of interest in our hobby.

More Ancient Than Realized

The date and mintmark approach is not as new as many believe. Moreover, there have been numerous instances of lapses in dates in United States coinage, as well as in foreign coin series. None, to my knowledge, has lessened the interest in collecting nor in coin values.

I was able to bring to this meeting a selection of old and valuable auction catalogs which reveal the early devotion to separate valuations of coins based on their dates and mintmarks. These may not be the oldest such printed records, but they reach back far enough in American history to emphasize that the peculiar character of our coin collecting is

truly traditional and not a new concept or fad.

I checked through the W. Elliot Woodward catalog of 1865. United States coins are presented and offered by dates. This is early evidence that the collectors of a century ago had standardized their pattern of collecting on the date concept. It is interesting, by the way, to note the cataloger's grading terms, which were: Splendid, perfectly uncirculated, remarkably fine, very fine indeed, and scarcely at all circulated.

A sale listing distributed by Miner & Somerville in New York City includes a set of U.S. cents commencing at 1800. Fifty-seven pieces sold at 1½ cents each on Dec. 15, 1866.

The Edward Cogan Story

An old catalog carries the interesting story of the pioneer coin dealer, Edward Cogan. He was an Englishman who came to America about 1850. He set up in Camden, N. J., as a picture dealer. An incident in 1855 was responsible for his great interest and professional association with numismatics. Actually, a lapse in the coinage of cents was the key factor.

A friend named Ryan exhibited a 1791 Washington cent to Cogan in his store and commented on its value. Ryan mentioned in passing that he would pay \$5 for an 1815 cent. For weeks following Ryan's visit, Cogan accumulated all old large cents which came his way, keeping the various dates separately in pillboxes. Of course he never found an 1815 specimen. He made occasional sales to his friends, and these transactions increased in frequency until he found himself in the coin business. His first public offer was called a letter bidding sale, which was finalized Nov. 1, 1859.

The foregoing story points up two features which characterize present day coin collecting methods — date series and date lapses.

Another Woodward sale catalog on display here lists the Mickley collection and is dated Oct. 28, 1867. Part of the collection consists of United States coins by dates.

The Clay sale catalog shown here is dated Dec. 5, 1871, and also has U.S. coins in date series offered individually.

An 1873 Offering

In the Seavey collection catalog displayed in this old catalog exhibit, the collection of Lorin G. Parmelee

was offered. It is dated 1873. The cataloger presented all coins of a year together. This would be termed mint sets today. He included varieties in some sets. Proof sets starting in 1858 were included and were complete. Seavey introduced a system of grading based on numbers:

- 1 — Uncirculated.
- 2 — Very fine.
- 3 — Fine.
- 4 — Good.
- 5 — Ordinary.

There is no reference to AU or extra fine.

Another exhibit is an 1893 book by A. G. Heaton titled *A Treatise on the Coinage of the Branch Mints*. He lists, by dates, among other fascinating details, a section headed *Branch Mint Rareties*.

The most intriguing exhibit here is the large aluminum token issued by the famous Farran Zerbe in 1904. He distributed these at the St. Louis World Fair. In concentric circles he lists premium coins by date and their values. I seldom have seen so much information confined to so small a space yet visible to the naked eye.

Rothschilds Early Dealers

Let us now refer to a recent article in the No. 4 (1962) issue of the *Numismatic Review*. An article on the House of Rothschild recounts their early identity with coin dealing in Germany. The feature important to our subject is a reproduction of part of a page from a Rothschild catalog of rare coins showing thalers from various countries listed for sale individually by dates. This was published about 1775.

So we come to an understanding that dates series collecting is not new and date lapses are not to be considered a basis for panic, but in some respects have certain psychological advantages. Missing dates, now and then, introduce an element of interest. They create relief from monotony, and are subjects for test of memory, as in the case of the 1815 cent, the only missing year.

In more recent years, date and mintmark lapses are well-known, particularly in the 1930s. Take one year, 1933, only cents (P and D) and halves, S mint were minted in subsidiary coinage. There are frequent skipped mintmarks in all series.

In the foreign field there are several notable examples known to most of you. In Great Britain the continu-

ation of dates into succeeding years was a wartime expedient. All pennies struck from 1941 to and including 1943 were dated 1940.

The last silver threepence pieces were dated 1945; some of these were struck in 1946. The issue nevertheless was melted by the mint. All silver threepences dated 1944 were minted in 1945. Shillings dated 1953 were struck in 1952, a reversal of the pattern. These were dated ahead, but the result was a lapsed date 1952 in both English and Scottish reverses.

Canada Adds a Maple Leaf

In Canada we have a similar date extension. The early 1948 production of cents was dated 1947, but with a maple leaf added. The new dies with IND: IMP deleted were not ready and the old dies with 1947 were used to keep coinage flowing. There was no date lapse, for the new dies arrived late in 1948, in time to strike more than 25 million cents. Nevertheless the threat was there, and, in that respect, the situation parallels our

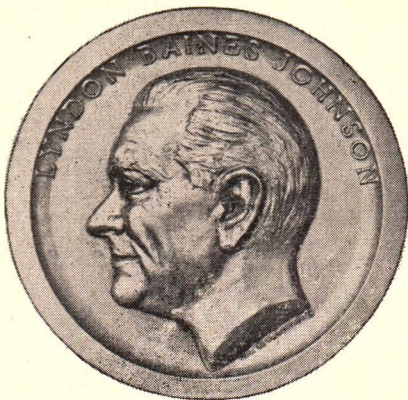
own.

I would like to advance a thought about varieties which probably will get no farther than this occasion. It simply is this: Each new date of a coin type is a new and distinct variety. The new date 1964, for example, is unlike any other date, thus it becomes a die variety as real and different as any unintentional mint-error-style variety. I am thinking of the large and small date varieties of the 1960 cents.

The date variety is planned and (until this year) mandatory. It is deliberately contrived and with official sanction. Coinage figures reported for both mints now are combined. Alas, it is so regular, expected and obvious that it is taken for granted, and in a sense is ignored.

The modern vehicle to coin collecting has been lubricated for the novice by the date variety system. The coin board is the very real product to further the system. I submit here and now that these people are variety collectors. Let the small change fall where it may.

PRESIDENT JOHNSON'S INAUGURAL MEDAL



The official medal for President Johnson's inauguration was modeled by Felix de Weldon and struck by Medallie Art Company. A single gold copy was made for the President. A limited issue of 10,000 silver pieces $2\frac{1}{2}$ " in diameter were to be available at \$35 each plus \$3.50 excise tax, and an unlimited bronze issue $2\frac{3}{4}$ " in diameter at \$5 each. The bronze medal was made $\frac{1}{4}$ " larger to discourage silver plated specimens being sold to the unwary. Distribution was by the Coin and Currency Institute, 393 7th Ave., New York City, and Presidential Art Medals, P. O. Box 187, Englewood, Ohio.

OUR OBLIGATIONS TO THE A.N.A.

You have read quite a bit recently — or, at least, it has been published for you to read — about the proposed A.N.A. central home and headquarters. Questions have been posed such as: Does the A.N.A. need a central home and headquarters? How much would it cost? Where would it be located? Who is to pay for it?

The answers are: Yes, the A.N.A. does need a headquarters in which to consolidate its scattered offices and activities. The minimum cost of providing such a facility has been estimated at a quarter of a million dollars. It should be located in a readily accessible, central part of the United States. It must be paid for by you and me — the members of the Association.

It would seem that only one question remains to be asked and answered.

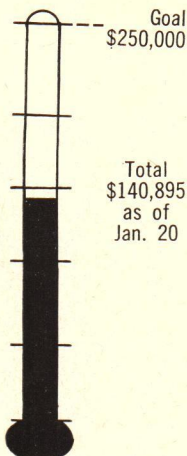
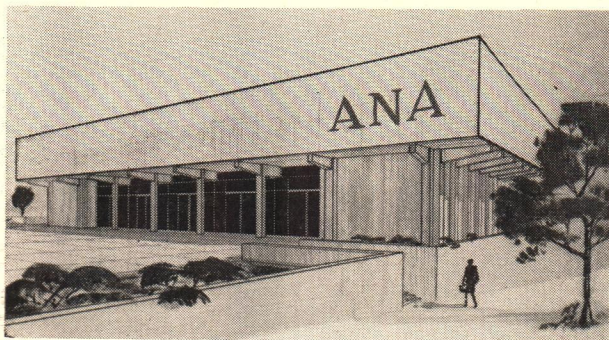
Is the A.N.A. actually going to provide itself with a headquarters in the immediate future? There can be only one answer if the Association is to grow as much, as rapidly and as efficiently as possible. Also, its pride and prestige are at stake — it has passed the point of turning back. Yes, the A.N.A. is going to acquire a home and headquarters without unnecessary delay. The road ahead may not be an easy one to travel but men and women have the will to work for improvement.

But there is still one other question for you and me to answer: What can we as individuals do in this situation? That we can give material support is obvious, and we must do it; but there is one more thing we can do. The next two years will be fraught with problems to be solved and decisions to be made in this vital project. You and I can not be very effective in making the decisions, but we can have a hand in selecting the nine men on whose shoulders the responsibilities will rest. So be extra thoughtful if you propose or nominate anyone for the board, and consider only the welfare of the Association when you vote next July. Never has it been so important to have officers of our Association with sound judgment and only the best interests of A.N.A. uppermost in their minds. They should be members who have demonstrated the ability to work intelligently, and the willingness to do it. The A.N.A. board has no opening for those who seek only glory or the limelight. — GLENN S.

DOMESTIC COINAGE REPORT DURING DECEMBER, 1964

Denomination	Executed During December, 1964		Total Coins Dated 1964
	Total Value	Total Pieces	Cumulative
SILVER			
Half dollars	\$16,670,000.00	33,340,000	201,859,612
Quarter dollars	10,968,000.00	43,872,000	381,933,308
Dimes	8,281,000.00	82,810,000	810,924,430
Total silver	\$35,919,000.00	160,022,000	1,394,717,350
MINOR			
Five cent pieces	\$ 4,972,800.00	99,456,000	796,785,840
One cent pieces	3,188,800.00	318,880,000	3,384,328,400
Total minor	\$ 8,161,600.00	418,336,000	4,181,114,240
Total domestic	\$44,080,600.00	578,358,000*	5,575,831,590
*Represents an annual production rate of 6,950,000,000 coins.			
Proof sets struck in December, 1964			148,310
Proof sets struck during 1964 through December			3,752,919
Coinage executed for foreign governments — None.			

A.N.A. BUILDING FUND



A National Home and Headquarters will:

- ▶ Make possible more and better services to A.N.A. members through increased efficiency and consolidation of scattered facilities and personnel;
- ▶ Provide for expected rapid growth and expansion of A.N.A. and its programs;
- ▶ House the nation's largest circulating numismatic library and improve the dissemination of numismatic knowledge and information through its audio-visual program and its publications;
- ▶ Provide for the establishment of a national numismatic museum;
- ▶ Be a symbol of the importance of the collecting and study of money from the dawn of civilization to the present and tomorrow;
- ▶ Afford every member an opportunity to have a tangible part in the A.N.A. for its betterment and the advancement and enjoyment of numismatics on a nationwide scale.

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Our thermometer keeps rising and is well over half way to the boiling point even though, at this writing, the temperature around the editorial office is reported at one snowy degree above zero. But the members of A.N.A. are pushing at our fund thermometer and 455 of them gave it quite a boost from the February reading. The names of those whose contributions were \$10 or more follow, and please notice two new names in the patron list above.

Among the month's contributors of \$500 and more, Arizona leads with an additional \$2,629.50 from Del Worthington and \$500 from Leroy E. Eslow. But neighboring Texas is very close, thanks to new patron A. I. and Doris Martin's gift of \$2,110 and \$1,000 from A. J. Mitula, Jr. Close also is Alabama



Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Martin

whence came \$2,222.50 from new patron John and Opal Morris and \$714



Mr. and Mrs. John H. Morris, Jr.

donated by Dr. H. Philip Speir. Board member Harold Klein raised the Illinois standing with \$500, and that classic numismatist Ed Gans sent a like sum from his Pacific Coast home. Substantial contributions came from Stack's of New York City (\$5,196.25) and from the National Commemorative Society (\$2,125) but these two firms are working toward becoming benefactors, hence their names are not yet among the titled donors.

The attention of all contributors is

called to the fact that they may raise their status by adding to their original gifts. If requested, two or more contributions will be combined to put a donor in a particular group. In addition to individuals, this applies to clubs and other organizations, several of which are well on their way to special recognition as "250 Clubs" (clubs giving \$250 or more) or patrons (\$2,000 or more). As of this report, the following are on the roster of 250 Clubs: Heart of America Numismatic Association (also a patron), Colorado-Wyoming Numismatic Association, Detroit Coin Club, McKeesport Coin Collectors Club, Milwaukee Numismatic Society, Numismatic Association of Southern California, Wichita Coin Club, and Zebulon Pike Coin Club. These eight clubs have contributed a total of about \$3,900.

Each individual and group must decide what he and it can contribute, of course, but regardless of the amount the important thing is to send it in promptly. The board of governors plans to meet March 22 and definite action on the headquarters project is high on the agenda. When you read this it will be too late to send your donation for listing in the March issue, but the officers can still know that you have given your support in a material way. The A.N.A. is pushing forward. For the good of your hobby, give your support today. Let's try to have the total up to at least \$200,000 by mid-March.

Make your tax-deductible contribution now

The honor roll of contributors during the last month follows:

No.	Name and Location	Cash	Coins, etc.
880	Louis Gerard, Kansas City, Mo.	\$	20.00
881	George B. Eng, Houston, Tex.		25.00
882	Harry H. Brokaw, Arlington, Va.		25.00
883	William Hyndman, Sewell, N. J.		25.00
884	W. Terleski, Wallingford, Conn.		10.00
885	Homer F. Kunkle, Homer City, Pa.		10.00
886	Mrs. Gretchen Dempster, Colorado Springs, Colo.		10.00
887	Cartland County Coin Club, McGraw, N. Y.		25.00
888	Borinquen Coin Club, New York, N. Y.		16.00
903	Clarence Pratt, Chicago, Ill.		10.00
904	Julian M. Kurtz, Opelousa, La.		10.00
905	O. M. Overman, Lexington, Ky.		10.00
906	A. R. Mortenson, Upland, Calif.		10.00
907	James T. Hays, Greenville, Miss.		10.00
908	Harold E. King, Seattle, Wash.		10.00
909	George F. Meyer, Sacramento, Calif.		10.00
910	Mrs. Lucy E. Ryan, Jerome, Mo.		10.00
911	Gordon Roark, Culver City, Calif.		10.00
912	Robert Harrison, Atlantic City, N. J.		10.00
913	George B. Oxx, Virginia Beach, Va.		10.00
914	James L. Fulmer, Clifton Heights, Pa.		10.00
915	Henry J. Hinrichs, Jr., Newark, N. J.		10.00
916	Marshall L. Salerno, Mountain View, Calif.		10.00
917	Dr. W. W. Walley, Waynesboro, Miss.		10.00
918	Robert E. Stewart, White River, S. D.		10.00
919	E. V. Catoe, Jr., Webb, Miss.		10.00
920	Abraham Goodman, Cherry Hill, N. J.		10.00
921	G. H. Sandy, Falls Church, Va.		10.00
922	D. F. Elam, Carbondale, Ill.		10.00

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923	Richard Lankenau, Monterey, Mass.	10.00	
924	James F. Moore, Anchorage, Alaska	10.00	
925	G. A. Cook, Albuquerque, N. M.	10.00	
926	Simeon Wilson, Chicago, Ill.	10.00	
927	George H. Merrin, Washington, Pa.	10.00	
928	Herbert A. Marten, Massapequa, N. Y.	10.00	
929	Ralph I. Westerberg, Inglewood, Calif.	10.00	
930	Mrs. Russell Price, Chillicothe, Ohio	10.00	
931	Joe Thomas Ridenous, Sr., Great Falls, Mont.	10.00	
932	Mrs. Carmen W. Harper, St. Cloud, Minn.	10.00	
933	James F. Marr, Chattanooga, Tenn.	10.00	
934	William M. Christophers, Windham, N. Y.	10.00	
935	Witold E. Krasowski, Chicago, Ill.	10.00	
936	Mrs. Francis G. Geer, New York, N. Y.	10.00	
937	Charles S. DeGroat, El Paso, Tex.	10.00	
938	Byron B. Goodridge, Long Beach, Calif.	10.00	
939	Robert D. Bangs, Lake Oswego, Ore.	10.00	
940	Mark F. Davis, Beaver, Pa.	10.00	
941	F. Milton Evory, Glenbrook, Conn.	10.00	
942	Arthur G. Fovargue, Jr., Orchard Park, N. Y.	10.00	
943	George M. Combs, Middletown, Ohio	10.00	
944	Lester Beatty, LaMoille, Ill.	10.00	
945	Harvey A. Miller, Pine Grove, Pa.	10.00	
946	Pentz Pippin, Wynnewood, Pa.	10.00	
947	Victor C. Banks, Seco, Ky.	10.00	
948	Edwin C. Miller, Wormelyburg, Pa.	10.00	
949	Mrs. Mary B. Freeland, Seat Pleasant, Md.	10.50	
950	Arthur Rutz, Gary, Ind.	11.11	
951	Stack's, New York, N. Y.		5,196.25
952	Leroy E. Eslow, Prescott, Ariz.		500.00
955	Madeline R. Stuber, Akron, Ohio	15.00	
956	P. H. Gwaltney, Anderson, Ind.	25.00	
957	Vivian Purcell, Athens, Ontario, Can.	10.00	
958	Peter V. Piccoli, Bronx, N. Y.	10.00	
960	Mrs. Dorothea Fritsch, Lexington, Ky.	10.00	
961	Samuel Price, Orlando, Fla.	25.00	
962	K. W. Chubb, Beaumont, Tex.	10.00	
963	David Allen, East Chicago, Ind.	10.00	
964	George E. Arnold, Jr., Huntsville, Ala.	10.00	
965	George E. Williams, Bishop, Calif.	10.00	
966	Lawrence Waterman, Roseville, Mich.	10.00	
967	Donald C. Bunting, Gainesville, Fla.	10.00	
968	John J. Horrigan, Sr., Yonkers, N. Y.	10.00	
969	Aaron Reynolds, Waccabuc, N. Y.	10.00	
970	Dr. W. D. Currier, Pasadena, Calif.	10.00	
971	William Levine, Bronx, N. Y.	10.00	
972	Walter Bode, Miami, Fla.	10.00	
973	Joe Bavaro, Denver, Colo.	10.00	
974	Joe McRendles, Klamath Falls, Ore.	10.00	
975	Mrs. Roy Montgomery, Dallas, Tex.	10.00	
976	Dr. G. Alfred Dodds, Fargo, N. D.	10.00	
977	S. H. Dietrich, Norton, Ill.	10.00	
979	J. W. Riggins, Strong, Ark.	10.00	
980	S. Bertram Tabor, Cranston, R. I.	10.00	
981	Charles F. Goldman, New York, N. Y.	10.00	
982	M. C. Brewster, Beaumont, Tex.	10.00	
985	Lawrence P. Talley, Wilmington, Del.	10.00	
986	R. E. Stouffer, Box 214, Waynesboro, Pa.	10.00	
987	Robert M. Hickman, Philadelphia, Pa.	10.00	
988	Philip Rosenbaum, Bronx, N. Y.	10.00	
989	William Lighte, Scarsdale, N. Y.	10.00	
993	Norman E. Wolfer, Pekin, Ill.	10.00	
994	C. H. Roberts, Corpus Christi, Tex.	15.00	
996	George J. Peterson, Winston, W. Va.	10.00	
997	Carl F. Lundbom, Greensburg, Pa.	10.00	
998	Alfred Bergman, Miami, Fla.	25.00	
999	West Suburban Coin Club, Villa Park, Ill.	25.00	
1000	Sandwich Coin Club, Sandwich, Ill.	25.00	
1001	Twin Ports Coin Club, Duluth, Minn.	10.00	
1002	Shenandoah Numismatic Society, Winchester, Va.	25.00	
1003	Francis X. Klaes, Hatfield, Mass.	10.00	
1004	Frank Catarina, Staten Island, N. Y.	10.00	
1005	Harvey S. Bodker, Overland Park, Kan.	10.00	
1006	Captain Gerald A. Schmidt, Tampa, Fla.	10.00	
1007	E. Westrom, St. Paul, Minn.	10.00	
1008	Wade W. Prentice, Fort Wayne, Ind.	25.00	
1009	Robert F. Maine, Jr., Wilmette, Ill.	10.00	
1010	Daniel Kellad, Jersey City, N. J.	10.00	
1011	Willy Werosta, Trenton, N. J.	10.00	
1012	H. G. Dammerau, New Orleans, La.	10.00	
1013	Paul J. Jones, Glendale, Calif.	10.00	
1014	Harriet L. Toney, North Jackson, Ohio	25.00	
1015	Dr. Harold F. Daum, Sedalia, Mo.	50.00	
1016	Harry P. Glovinsky, St. Louis, Mo.	10.00	
1018	John Happersberger, Middletown, Ohio	25.00	

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1020	Coin Club of Elmhurst, Elmhurst, Ill.	10.00	
1022	Mount Vernon Numis. Society, Mount Vernon, Ohio	25.00	
1023	Jonah R. Shapiro, Syracuse, N. Y.	100.00	
1024	Jack R. Koch, Phoenix, Ariz.	100.00	
1025	W. P. Massey, Jr., Yellow Spring, W. Va.	100.00	
1026	Frank A. Lapa, Chicago, Ill.	100.00	
1027	Leon W. Fellows, DeBary, Fla.	100.00	
1028	Joe Gaidar, Chicago, Ill.	100.00	
1029	Inland Empire Coin Club, Spokane, Wash.	100.00	
1030	Des Moines Coin Club, Des Moines, Ia.	100.00	
1031	Jack Goldstein, White Plains, N. Y.	10.00	
1032	Terry Herberg, Williston, N. D.	10.00	
1033	Juanita Fain, Beckley, W. Va.	10.00	
1034	J. Frank Minton, Jr., Richmond, Va.	10.00	
1035	Raymond L. Blakely, Jr., Clark, N. J.	10.00	
1036	Ray H. Emerson, Homer, N. Y.	10.00	
1037	Fremont Coin Club, Fremont, Neb.	10.00	
1038	Edgar A. West, Montclair, N. J.	10.00	
1039	Indian Capitol Coin Club, Inc., Muskogee, Okla.	25.00	
1040	Tedor Gudell, Whitewater, Wis.	10.00	
1041	J. Woodrow Mathews, Somerset, Pa.	10.00	
1042	Richard P. Cullwik, New York, N. Y.	15.00	
1043	David M. Nevins, Newton Center, Mass.	10.00	
1044	West Shore Coin Club, Mechanicsburg, Pa.	25.00	
1045	John W. Dunn, Norman, Okla.	250.00	
1046	Hugh Wair, Jr., Graham, Tex.		11.00
1047	Richard W. Bailey, Portland, Ore.		20.00
1048	Emmett B. Franks, Montour, Ia.		75.00
1049	Bernard Plotnick, Stanford, Conn.		95.00
1050	Red Archer, Nevada, Mo.		25.00
1051	Henry Stark, Colorado Springs, Colo.		20.00
1052	Harold R. Klein, Hinsdale, Ill.		500.00
1053	John D. Barker, Logan, Ohio		12.50
1054	John Halliday, Sr., Swan Lake, Mira Loma, Calif.		15.50
1055	Joseph French Maley, Alexandria, Va.		150.00
1056	Modern World Coins, Inc., Philadelphia, Pa.		25.00
1057	Emmett W. Tardy, Lexington, Va.		15.00
1058	John L. Wren, Sun City, Ariz.		15.00
1059	William L. Orr, Eugene, Ore.		36.90
1060	Edmund W. Dreyfuss, Washington, D. C.		132.75
1061	Earl F. Barger, Clearwater, Fla.		100.00
1063	Hilton C. Hopson, Champaign, Ill.		100.00
1064	Jesse M. Story, Waukegan, Ill.		15.00
1065	K. W. Shimpoh, Kure, Japan		30.00
1066	Wilson Baker, Fort Worth, Tex.		10.00
1067	Dr. J. L. Cornelius, Edina, Mo.		50.00
1068	Floyd Kelling, Pueblo, Colo.		15.00
1069	R. A. Naimy, Walla Walla, Wash.		130.00
1070	H. G. Picerne, Walla Walla, Wash.		130.00
1071	W. H. Foster, Inc., Walla Walla, Wash.		130.00
1072	Martin F. Kortjohn, New York, N. Y.		282.50
1073	A. J. Mitula, Jr., Houston, Tex.		1,000.00
1074	Charles L. Burke, Anthony, Kan.	100.00	
1075	Melvin E. Kiley, New York, N. Y.	20.00	
1076	Delwyn J. Worthington, Tucson, Ariz.		2,629.25
1077	National Commemorative Society, Philadelphia, Pa.	2,125.00	(medal)
1078	Adolph Caplin, Rego Park, N. Y.		25.00
1080	Zebulon Pike Coin Club, Colorado Springs, Colo.	42.00	
1081	Jesus Alberto Fernandez C., Caracas, Venezuela	10.00	
1082	William R. Kitamura, Murine City, Mich.	10.00	
1083	Byron E. Ladow, Fredonia, Kan.	15.00	
1084	Homer H. Spriggs, Sierra Madre, Calif.	10.00	
1085	Crystal Coin Shop, Wakefield, Mass.		200.00
1086	Gordon S. Bainbridge, Warwick, Bermuda	10.00	
1087	Elmon R. Johnson, Wellaston, Mass.	10.00	
1088	Glenn Baird, Ottumwa, Ia.	10.00	
1089	Harley W. Clapsaddle, Birmingham, Ala.	10.00	
1090	Thomas U. Purrington, Princeton, N. J.	25.00	
1091	Camden Coin Club, Camden, Ark.	20.00	
1098	Emil Downs, Plains, Kan.	10.00	
1099	Moton H. Crockett III, Austin, Tex.	10.00	
1100	Carl J. Stehman, Lyons, Ill.	10.00	
1101	Warren A. Andrews, Biloxi, Miss.	10.00	
1102	John Stuber, Seattle, Wash.	10.00	
1103	Mack Houstess, Forrest City, Ark.	10.00	
1104	Joseph Ingrasselino, Garfield, N. J.	10.00	
1105	Charles N. Sherman, Durham, N. C.	10.00	
1106	Mrs. Virginia Miller, Highland Lakes, N. J.	10.00	
1107	R. L. McBrien, Riviera Beach, Fla.	10.00	
1108	William A. Wiegand, Massapequa, N. Y.	10.00	
1109	Sidney B. Jones, Charleston, S. C.	10.00	
1110	A. F. McCrory, Columbus, Ohio	10.00	
1111	Robert E. Menzil, Santa Monica, Calif.	10.00	
1112	R. E. Hibbitt, Burleson, Tex.	10.00	
1113	David B. Sims, St. Paul, Minn.	10.00	

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1114	Thomas Upsall, Fresno, Calif.	10.00	
1115	Paul D. Eddy, Tarentum, Pa.	10.00	
1116	W. L. Stone, APO New York	10.00	
1117	Armond Mock, Sr., Mt. View, Calif.	10.00	
1118	Marvin E. Brenner, APO, New York	10.00	
1119	Jack W. Denis, Brentwood, Tenn.	10.00	
1120	Henry M. Rittmeyer, Lancaster, Ohio	10.00	
1121	Joseph S. Bonk, Conemaugh, Pa.	10.00	
1122	R. F. Torrance, Cananea, Sonora, Mex.	15.00	
1123	Stan Pendley, Holtville, Calif.	15.00	
1124	Donald M. Hosking, Lebanon, Ore.	25.00	
1127	John P. Sullivan, Brainerd, Minn.	10.00	
1134	Frank Roza, Jr., Palto Alto, Calif.	10.00	
1135	Charles Davies, Syracuse, Ind.	10.00	
1136	Howard Caya, Yucca Valley, Calif.	10.00	
1137	Hartford Numismatic Society, West Hartford, Conn.	10.00	
1138	Mrs. R. L. Hagmes, La Mesa, Calif.	10.00	
1139	Stanley Waxenberg, Huntington Woods, Mich.	10.00	
1140	Charles A. Lemkuhl, Jr., Charleston, W. Va.	10.00	
1141	Lt. Col. Leon D. Curtis, Sacramento, Calif.	10.00	
1142	Donald S. Walton, Springfield, Vt.	10.00	
1143	Walter Nalewajk, Brooklyn, N. Y.	10.00	
1144	C. J. Bennington, Harrisonburg, Va.	10.00	
1145	Ray Cook, Palm Springs, Calif.	10.00	
1146	Anthony Mitchell, Detroit, Mich.	20.00	
1147	Peter Manookian, Drexel Hill, Pa.	15.00	
1148	Paul D. Crandall, Washington, D. C.	25.00	
1150	Jesse E. Crozier, Colorado Springs, Colo.	10.00	
1151	Mario L. Dalry, Jerome, Idaho	10.00	
1152	Jack Less, Houston, Tex.	10.00	
1153	Cecil J. Stone, Bristol, Tenn.	25.00	
1154	Jack O. Neely, San Diego, Calif.	10.00	
1155	Richard W. Murrie, New York, N. Y.	10.00	
1156	Howard Cohen, Brooklyn, N. Y.	10.00	
1157	Edward J. Hocevar, Kohler, Wis.	10.00	
1158	Milo Garside, Walnut Ridge, Ark.	10.00	
1159	Laymond E. Menden, Racine, Wis.	25.00	
1160	Carnegie Coin Club, Northampton, Mass.	10.00	
1161	Southwest Louisiana Coin Club, Lake Charles, La.	10.00	
1162	Champaign-Urbana Coin Club, Champaign, Ill.	32.30	
1163	Claude Yeager, Anniston, Ala.	20.00	
1164	Gene Cassidy, Wichita, Kan.	10.00	
1165	Carol and Bill LaVelle, Phoenix, Ariz.		235.50
1166	Marvin R. Dershem, Jr., Grand Junction, Colo.		100.00
1167	Arnold Rosing, San Mateo, Calif.		500.00
1168	Thomas J. Mooney, Wakefield, Mass.		125.00
1169	Will W. Neil, Abilene, Kan.		250.00
1170	Dr. H. Philip Speir, Greenville, Ala.		714.00
1171	Paul H. Reaves, Durham, N. C.		10.50
1172	C. H. Wolfe, Lakeside, Ohio		181.25
1173	Huntington Coin Club, Huntington, W. Va.	100.00	
1174	W. Polk Glover, Oblon, Tenn.		27.00
1175	Eugene L. Messick, Cincinnati, Ohio	10.00	
1176	Benj. Odesser, Chicago, Ill. (Memorial to Sarah H. Peskind)	10.00	
1177	Eugene O. Forman, New Orleans, La.		15.00
1178	Mr. and Mrs. John H. Morris, Jr., Homewood, Ala.		2,222.50
1179	James E. Kyle, Everett, Wash.		60.00
1180	Dr. Edwin T. Williams, Denver, Colo.		30.00
1185	Bill Feist, Santa Rosa, Calif.	10.00	
1186	Armando P. Rodriguez, Denver, Colo.	10.00	
1187	B. J. O'Toole, Phoenix, Ariz.	10.00	
1188	John J. Oconor, Baltimore, Md.	10.00	
1189	J. A. Walton, Olalla, Wash.	10.00	
1190	James W. King, Dayton, Ohio	10.00	
1191	Edward J. Collins, San Fernando, Calif.	10.00	
1192	Roland Deutsch, Newton Center, Mass.	10.00	
1193	Delbert Dean, Fairmount City, Pa.	10.00	
1202	Perry M. Tackett, Morrisville, Pa.	25.00	
1203	Wahoo Coin Club, Wahoo, Neb.	10.00	
1204	Fort Hays Coin Club, Hays, Kan.	10.00	
1207	Leroy J. Danley, Wheeling, W. Va.	10.00	
1208	Phil Chew, San Mateo, Calif.	10.00	
1209	Hugh Kelly, Douglaston, L. I., N. Y.	10.00	
1210	William W. Zerweck, Stockton, Calif.	20.00	
1212	Nathan J. Campbell, Beaverton, Ore.	50.00	
1213	Arthur A. Cardenas, San Francisco, Calif.	10.00	
1214	Mrs. Mary Jo Newberry, Hardin, Ky.	10.00	
1215	Ronald G. Hagstrom, Oak Park, Ill.	10.00	
1216	R. W. DeLand, Kalamazoo, Mich.	10.00	
1217	Douglas Bauman, Bergenfield, N. J.	10.00	
1218	Frederick E. Dickfoss, Racine, Wis.	10.00	
1219	Bruce Dyer, Des Moines, Iowa	10.00	
1220	T. A. Shumate, Abbeville, S. C.	10.00	
1222	Charles E. Bieber, Jr., Eau Claire, Wis.	10.00	
1225	John P. Love, Kansas City, Mo.	10.00	
1226	Gerald S. Hickey, Elgin, Ill.	10.00	
1228	Eastland Coin & Stamp Club, Eastland, Tex.	10.00	

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1229	Greater Houston Coin Club, Houston, Tex.	50.00	
1230	Claude S. Arnold, Thousand Oaks, Calif.	10.00	
1231	Lloyd E. Jones, Reno, Nev.	10.00	
1232	Captain M. E. Borden, New Bedford, Mass.	10.00	
1233	Louis W. Kroeger, Elkhorn, Neb.	10.00	
1234	William B. Warwick, Chester, Pa.	20.00	
1235	David S. Miller, Baton Rouge, La.	10.00	
1236	Dr. Jasper L. Robertson, Hoosick Falls, N. Y.	10.00	
1237	Jasper Fiorenza, Rockford, Ill.	10.00	
1239	Edith H. Onyan, Fort Lee, N. J.	10.00	
1240	Forrest C. Young, St. Albans, W. Va.	10.00	
1242	Anthony L. Sinocchi, Mount Kisco, N. Y.	10.00	
1243	R. G. Kennedy, Orlando, Fla.	10.00	
1244	Oxford Coin Club, Oxford, Kan.	100.00	
1245	Arthur Conn, Fort Lauderdale, Fla.	100.00	
1246	W. A. Dolch, Westlake, La.		13.00
1248	Arthur A. Wainwright, Clawson, Mich.	15.50	
1249	Edward Gans, Berkeley, Calif.		500.00
1250	Charles I. Dube, Reeds Ferry, N. H.		15.75
1251	Seminole Numismatic Society, Sanford, Fla.	10.00	
1252	Northrop Coin Club, Hawthorne, Calif.	25.00	
1253	Vancouver Numismatic Society, Vancouver, B. C.	10.00	
1254	Peter J. Beck, LaJunta, Colo.	100.00	
1255	Charles C. Anderson, Florence, Ala.	200.00	
1256	Montgomery Coin Club, Montgomery, Ala.	10.00	
1257	Jimmy Sarris, Bessemer, Ala.		25.00
1258	R. C. Matlock, San Francisco, Calif.		18.00
1259	Julian Jarvis, Greencastle, Ind.		25.00
1260	C. H. Patten, Phoenix, Ariz.		350.50
1261	Chew Keng Ban, Singapore, Malaya		107.00
1262	Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Martin, Houston, Tex.		2,110.00
1263	Larry E. Edwards, Topeka, Kan.	100.00	
1264	James M. Matarelli, Peoria, Ill.	10.00	
1265	H. G. Bavaird, Pacific Palisades, Calif.		120.00
1266	Charles P. Blalka, Denver, Colo.		156.00
1267	W. F. Darner, Englewood, Ohio		250.00
1268	Dr. Charles E. Mason, San Gabriel, Calif.		100.00
1269	B. Max Mehl Company, Beverly Hills, Calif.		105.00
1270	Clark S. Yowell, San Diego, Calif.		55.00
1271	L. McCormick Goodhart, Alexandria, Va.	50.00	
1273	Tri City Coin Club, Kennewick, Wash.	25.00	
1274	William J. Polacek, Hillside, Ill.	10.00	
1275	Lewis G. Zientek, Whitesboro, N. Y.	10.00	
1276	W. Philip Keller, Lancaster, Pa.	10.00	
1277	Fred Walton, Chicago, Ill.	10.00	
1278	David E. Boufford, Keene, N. H.	10.00	
1279	G. A. MacLennan, Sterling, Ill.		50.00
1280	Richard Standish, Harper Woods, Mich.	10.00	
1281	M/Sgt. Robert J. Martin, APO Calif.	10.00	
1282	Elmer G. Chapman, Riverside, Calif.	10.00	
1283	T. K. Stallard, Freeport, Ill.	10.00	
1284	William L. Beale, Albuquerque, N. M.	10.00	
1286	Don Johns, Elyria, Ohio	10.00	
1287	Hanover Numismatic Association, Hanover, Pa.	20.00	
1288	Fort Madison Coin Club, Fort Madison, Ia.	10.00	
1289	Iosco Coin Club, Oscoda, Mich.	45.30	
1290	Tuscarawas County Coin Club, New Philadelphia, Ohio	25.00	
1291	Newport County Coin Club, Newport, R. I.	25.00	
1292	William R. McPheeters, Kamiah, Idaho		25.00
1293	Harold R. Bonner, Flagstaff, Ariz.		25.00
1294	Fond Du Lac Coin Club, Fond Du Lac, Wis.	10.00	
1296	Parsons Coin Club, Parsons, Kan.	10.00	
1297	Garden Grove Coin Club, Garden Grove, Calif.	15.00	
1298	A. Chaffin Barlow, Glendale, Calif.	10.00	
1299	Fred S. Friedel, Great Neck, N. Y.	10.00	
1300	Clarence W. Budd, Blythe, Calif.	10.00	
1301	Russell L. Buechler, Jr., Pittsburgh, Pa.	10.00	
1302	E. W. Webster, Lewiston, Idaho	10.00	
1303	Antelope Valley Coin Club, Lancaster, Calif.	25.00	
1304	Numis. Assn. of Southern California, Granada Hills	250.00	
1305	Paul D. Wisdom, Wichita, Kan.	10.00	
1306	James L. Barrow, Baltimore, Md.	10.00	
1307	Alfred J. Koster, Greenwich, Conn.	10.00	
1308	John A. Troyan, Jr., Plainfield, N. J.	10.00	
1309	C. Marculis, Norfolk, Va.	10.00	
1310	Joseph Ross, Los Angeles, Calif.	10.00	
1311	Alfred R. Love, Red Springs, N. C.	10.00	
1312	John D. Dodson, Champaign, Ill.	10.00	
1313	A. R. Miller, Santa Barbara, Calif.	10.00	
1314	F. J. d'Ambrosi, Cottonwood, Ariz.	10.00	
1315	Col. H. D. Davidson, Deerfield, Ill.	10.00	
1316	Jack Margolis, Bronx, N. Y.	10.00	
1317	S. J. Dellapiano, Seymour, Conn.	10.00	
1318	Dr. Kenneth L. Matson, Chicago, Ill.	10.00	
1319	W. J. McFadden, Moses Lake, Wash.	10.00	
1320	Steven D. Schleicher, Fayetteville, N. Y.	10.00	
1321	L. A. Clark, Council Bluffs, Ia.	20.00	
1322	John E. Giles, Weston, Mass.	20.00	

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1324	Robert Kracher, North Canton, Ohio	20.00	
1326	E. Mullis, Klamath Falls, Ore.	10.00	
1330	S/Maj. James W. Allen, APO New York	14.00	
1332	Massillon Coin Club, Massillon, Ohio	75.00	
1334	New Hampshire Collectors' Club, Concord, N. H.	16.50	
Nos. 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 953, 954, 959, 978, 983, 984, 990, 991, 992, 995, 1017, 1019, 1021, 1062, 1079, 1092, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1096, 1097, 1125, 1126, 1128, 1129, 1130, 1131, 1132, 1133, 1149, 1181, 1182, 1183, 1184, 1194, 1195, 1196, 1197, 1198, 1199, 1200, 1201, 1205, 1206, 1211, 1221, 1223, 1224, 1227, 1238, 1241, 1247, 1272, 1285, 1295, 1323, 1325, 1327, 1328, 1329, 1331, and 1333, each less than \$10.00 \$			
		283.50	\$ 10.50
Cash and coins received in this report, donors 880-1334		\$ 8,381.71	\$20,223.15
Previously reported receipts, including interest earned, etc.		67,589.79	20,225.55
Totals		\$75,971.50	\$40,448.70
Unpaid balance of pledges made		\$24,475.00	

CALENDAR OF FUTURE NUMISMATIC EVENTS

- Arizona State Numismatic Association.** Annual convention, March 5-7, Ramada Inn, Phoenix. Gen. Chm. Jack Koch, 3520 N. 7th St., Phoenix, Ariz. 85014.
- Bergen County Coin Club.** Fifth annual show, Mar. 6, Bergen Mall shopping center, Paramus, N. J. Gen. Chm. Gilbert Hall, P. O. Box 274, Paramus, N. J.
- Pawcatuck Valley Coin Club.** 3rd annual show, March 7, St. Mary's Parish Hall, Stonington, Conn. Chm. J. D. Bailey, 277 Stonington Rd., Pawcatuck, Conn. 02891.
- Greenville Coin Club.** 5th annual show, March 12-14, Jack Tar Poinsett Hotel, Greenville, S. C. Chm. Jack Crumley, P.O. Box 12, Greenville, S. C.
- Penn-Ohio Coin Clubs.** Spring show, Mar. 12-14, Statler Hilton Hotel, Cleveland. Bourse Chm. Richard F. Krotz, 6689 Metro Park Dr., Mayfield Heights 24, Ohio.
- South Plains Coin Club.** Annual show, Mar. 12-14, Holiday Inn Parkway, Lubbock. Gen. Chm. Jon F. Coll, 5111 W. 34th St., Lubbock, Texas.
- Nebraska City Coin Club.** Annual show, Mar. 13-14, National Guard Armory. Gen. Chm. Ronald Chapin, South 11th St., Nebraska City, Nebr. 68410.
- William Penn Coin Club.** Annual show, March 20, Bellvue-Stratford Hotel, Philadelphia. Bourse Chm. Edward Hutchinson, P.O. Box 6256, Philadelphia, Pa. 19136.
- McKeesport Collectors Coin Club.** 2nd annual show, March 20-21, Penn McKee Hotel, McKeesport. Chm. George W. Dunay, Jr., P.O. Box 8335, Pittsburgh, Pa. 15218.
- Mississippi Numismatic Association** 4th annual show, March 20-21, Heidelberg Hotel, Jackson. Chm. Byron W. Cook, P. O. Box 181, Jackson, Miss.
- Ozark Coin Club.** First show, March 20-21, Kentwood Arms Hotel, Springfield, Mo. Chm. Roy F. O'Neal, 2445 South Roanoke St., Springfield, Mo.
- Gasco Coin & Stamp Club.** 2nd annual exhibition, March 21, Dearborn Youth Center, Dearborn, Mich. Auction at 3 p.m.
- Texas Numismatic Association.** Annual convention, March 26-28, Robert Driscoll Hotel, Corpus Christi. Chm. Joe B. Davis, 638 DeForest St., Corpus Christi, Texas 78404.
- Clinton County Coin Collectors Club.** 3rd annual show, March 27-28, Fallon Hotel, Lock Haven. Chm. M. D. Schenck, 335 E. Main St., Lock Haven, Pa.
- Okaw Valley Coin Club.** 5th annual show, March 27-28, Community Bldg., Tuscola, Ill. Bourse Chm. Pete Tondini, P-T Coin Shop, Villa Grove, Ill.
- Port City Coin Club.** Annual spring show, March 28, YWCA Bldg., Muscatine, Iowa. Edmond Metz, 807 Broadway, Muscatine, Iowa.
- Michigan State Numismatic Society.** Spring convention, April 2-4, Bancroft Hotel, Saginaw. Chm. William Thompson, 933 South Woodbridge St., Saginaw, Mich.
- Maryland Numismatic Society.** Show, April 3-4, Holiday Inn, downtown Baltimore. Co-Chm. Benjamin G. Egerton, 407 Gittings Ave., Baltimore, Md. 21212.
- Oxford Coin Club.** 2nd annual show, April 3-4, 4-H Bldg., Wellington, Kans. Chm. Thomas E. Hill, 1418 E. Douglas, Wichita, Kans.
- Carthage Coin Club.** Show, April 4, Bank of Carthage Bldg., Carthage, Mo. Chm. Gerald Rucker, 1719 Missouri St., Carthage, Mo.
- Amarillo Coin Club.** Show, April 9-11, Holiday Inn West, Amarillo, Texas. Bourse Chm. Bob Snyder, 4235 West 13th, Amarillo, Texas.
- Albert Pike Numismatic Society.** 8th spring show, April 10-11, Goldman Hotel, Fort Smith. Chm. Floyd Ludwick, P. O. Box 24, Fort Smith, Ark.

- New Hampshire Numismatic Assn. Annual convention, April 10-11, New Arena, University of New Hampshire, Durham. Chm. Charles Jennison, Rt. 2, Dover, New Hampshire.
- Guthrie Coin Club. 7th annual coinarama, April 11, American Legion Bldg., Guthrie. Chm. Bill Maker, 1802 W. Warner, Guthrie, Okla.
- Chattanooga Coin Club. 3rd annual Southern Memorial convention, April 16-18, Read House Hotel, Chm. W. D. Dykes, P. O. Box 1861, Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Central States Numis. Society. 23rd annual convention, April 23-25, Pick-Congress Hotel, Chicago. Chm. Philip J. More, 1705 Monroe St., Evanston, Ill. 60202.
- NATIONAL COIN WEEK, APRIL 24 - MAY 1.** Gen. Chm. Lois Otis, 17643 Lincoln Ave., Homewood, Ill. 60430.
- Catoctin Coin Club. 4th annual show, April 24-25, West Frederick Jr. High School, Frederick, Md. Bourse Chm. A. L. Eyler, Sr., Frederick, Md. 21701.
- Indiana Coin Club. Spring show, April 24-25, Holiday Inn, Rt. 119 S., Indiana, Pa. Bourse Chm. C. V. Stabile, P. O. Box 91, Lucerne Mines, Pa. 15754.
- Sheboygan Coin Club. 4th annual Jamboree, April 25, Turner Hall, Sheboygan, Wis. H. A. Mahlendorf, 2030 N. 13th St., Sheboygan, Wis. 53081.
- West Springfield Coin Club. Show, April 25, Dante Club. Chm. Roger Gaboury, 36 Eckington St., Springfield, Mass.
- Ontario Numis. Assn. Annual convention, April 30-May 2, Treasure Island Wind-jammer Hall, London, Ont. Gen. Chm. Wm. West, 166 Baseline Rd., London, Ont., Canada.
- Northwest Central States Numismatic Assn. Convention, April 30-May 2, Rainbow Hotel, Great Falls. Address the Association, P.O. Box 2651, Great Falls, Mont.
- Fort Dodge Coin Club. Show, May 1-2, Izaak Walton Chapterhouse. Bourse Chm. Bob Lockwood, P. O. Box 982, Fort Dodge, Iowa.
- Gadsden Coin Club. 2nd annual show, May 1-2, Reich Motor Hotel, Gadsden. Chm. Jerry Bickers, 320 Broad St., Gadsden, Ala.
- Louisiana Numismatic Assn. Annual convention, May 1-2, Virginia Hotel, Monroe. Exhibit Chm. Marvin Phillips, 1905 S. Grand St., Monroe, La.
- Kokomo Coin Club. 3rd annual tri-county show, May 1-2, YMCA, Kokomo. Charles F. Hathaway, 1043 S. Buckeye, Kokomo, Ind. 46902.
- Newport County Coin Club. 3rd annual Festival, May 1-2, Viking Hotel, Newport, R. I. Chm. Ralph S. Jaffe, 433 Thames St., Newport, R. I. 02840.
- Metropolitan New York Numis. convention, May 6-9, Park Sheraton Hotel, New York City. Sec. Edward K. Hessberg, 202 Mamaroneck Ave., White Plains, N. Y.
- Pacific Northwest Numis. Assn. 22nd annual convention, May 6-9, Chinook Motel & Tower, Yakima. Bourse Chm. Howard Hamilton, 4627 Kenward, Yakima, Wash.
- Nebraska Numismatic Association.** Tenth annual convention, May 8-9, Lincoln Hotel, Lincoln. Chm. James L. McKee, 216 S. Cotner Blvd., Lincoln, Nebr.
- Empire State Numismatic Assn. 13th semi-annual convention, May 14-16, Manger Hotel, Rochester. Chm. Robert Ogg, 251 Keeler St., Rochester, N. Y.
- Indiana State Numismatic Assn. 7th annual convention, May 14-16, Van-Orman Hotel, Lafayette. Chm. Kenneth McCord, P. O. Box 851, Lafayette, Ind.
- Middlesex Coin Club of Reading, Mass. 2nd Annual Wakefield Coin Show. May 15-16. Knights of Columbus Hall, Wakefield, Mass. Chairman, Thomas J. Mooney, 6 Gail Circle, Wakefield, Mass. 01880.
- Kentucky State Numismatic Assn. 5th annual convention, May 28-30, Stouffer's Inn, Louisville. Chm. W. H. Ragland, 9214 Cavalcade Ave., Valley Station, Ky. 40172.
- San Diego County Inter-Club Numismatic Council. 8th annual coinarama, June 4-6, El Cortez Convention Center. Chm. R. E. Martin, 1141 Sixth Ave., San Diego, Calif.
- Southern Colorado Numismatic Assn. 7th annual convention, June 4-6, Continental Motor Hotel, Pueblo. Chm. Al Overton, P. O. Box 893, Pueblo, Colo.
- Canadian Numismatic Association. 12th annual convention, Aug. 12-14, Mount Royal Hotel, Montreal. Gen. Chm. Louis Goldsmith, 5251 Sherbrooke St., West, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.
- AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION. SEVENTY-FOURTH ANNIVERSARY CONVENTION, AUGUST 25-28, 1965, SHAMROCK HILTON HOTEL, HOUSTON. GEN. CHM. A. I. MARTIN, 6207 CHEVY CHASE DR., HOUSTON, TEXAS 77027.**

A compromise under which Brunei will continue to use Malaysian currency issued by the bank Negara Malaysia is reportedly under consideration. The present issuing authority — the board of currency commissioners, Malaya and British Borneo — is to be liquidated. — *The Straits Echo*, December 30, 1964

CDA LOOKS AHEAD

The Coin Dealers Association, Inc., under its new president, Michael R. Kolman, has in recent weeks been engaged in drafting comprehensive plans for making this organization a vital force in numismatics.

The association has stressed that its main purpose will be to promote honesty and integrity among all dealers and that it will pay particular attention to guarding the numismatic teletypes against the incursions of unethical practices.

Sol Kaplan has agreed to serve as Kolman's chief adviser in the CDA. Officers are Eliot J. Cashdan, vice president; Harold Berk, general secretary; E. Strauss, treasurer; Max M. Schwartz, legal counsel. Directors are Dan Messer, Sid Smith, Joseph Gaider, Joe Wells, John Flynn, Sr., and Louis M. Irwin.

"We feel the Coin Dealers Association will further the interests of collectors and dealers alike," stressed Kolman in a statement given at his Cleveland, Ohio, office where he is president of Federal Brand Enterprises, Inc. "We don't intend to compete with professional dealer organi-

zations already in existence — our activities will only serve to complement them," he added.

The purposes of CDA are: "To promote in all lawful ways the welfare of its members and create a more friendly relationship among them; to aid in the expeditious disposition of differences that may arise by means of arbitration; to assist in the improvement and standardization of teletype communication between its members among themselves and with their customers; to promote the development of high ethical standards of business conduct and the adoption of a code of ethics and adherence thereto, to the end that the image of the coin dealer may become pleasing in the mind of the nondealer; and to perform all such other acts and things as may be necessary to fully carry into effect said purposes."

Dealers who subscribe to any of the teletype services are cordially invited to make application for membership in the CDA. Inquiries should be directed to Harold Berk, general secretary, 148 Main Ave., Warren, Ohio, or to any other official.

BOOK REVIEW

***History of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, 1862-1962*, by the Centennial History Staff of the Bureau, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. 20402, board covers, 220 pp., illus., \$7.00.**

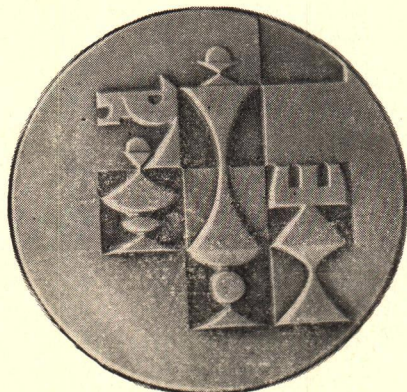
"The purpose of this volume is . . . to tell the story of the happenings and conditions that have had an intrinsic bearing on the printing of our government's securities." This statement is part of the very brief foreword in the book signed by Henry J. Holtzclaw, bureau director.

To call the book a story is fitting; it might almost be called a series of short stories with a thread of continuity between many of them. It is interesting reading, as becomes a story, and stresses throughout the "public servants who plodded faithfully through the century and peopled this story." It is a history in story form rather than in the formal, chronological and statistical sense. And it was written for the layman, although at times he may become a little confused by the descriptions of processes and machines if he has no previous acquaintance with intaglio printing.

Since this review will be read by numismatists, for the most part, it is only fair to say that the book lacks some of the information we would have liked. For example, very little is said about specific engravers and issues of currency, although it does tell about the changes in sheet sizes and the methods of printing. The early history in intaglio printing is nicely sketched, and the forming years of the bureau are set forth at some length. Philatelists will find much information on the production of postage stamps.

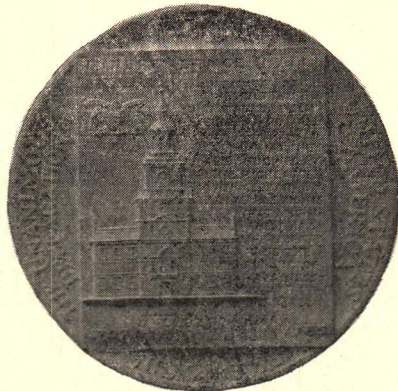
The book has attractive and durable covers, clear and uncrowded type set in two columns per page, and about 70 well reproduced illustrations of people, machines, bureau scenes, and some of its currency, bond and postal products. Two pages were printed from engraved plates, one by lithography, and the remainder by letterpress. — GLENN S.

CHess MEDAL



The official medal for the 16th Chess Olympics sponsored by the International Chess federation is shown here. The event was held in Israel in November, 1964. Medalists were Z. Segal and Shamir Bros. The medal is 59 mm. in diameter, features the emblem of the federation encircled by French and Hebrew designations of the Olympics on the obverse, and a stylised composition of chess pieces on reverse. For added information, write the Israel Government Coins and Medals Corp., Ltd., 11 Keren Hayesod St., Jerusalem, Israel.

DECLARATION SIGNERS SERIES MEDAL



The 11th medal in the series of Signers of the Declaration of Independence depicts Stephen Hopkins on the obverse and Independence Hall in Philadelphia on the reverse. Hopkins was one of the two signers for Rhode Island and, because of age and poor health, was the only signer allowed to wear his hat during the ceremonies. Sculptor Ralph J. Menconi is the designer. The medal is available in coin shops and from Presidential Art Medals, P. O. Box 187, Englewood, Ohio in platinum (25 struck) at \$500 each, in pure silver (7,500 serially numbered) at \$10 each, and in bronze in unlimited quantities at \$2.50 each.

GOLD: OLD FACTS AND NEW

The Bible tells us that "A word fitly spoken is like apples of gold." (*Proverbs* 25:11.) And a 19th century poet named Thomas Hood continued the age-long respect for the precious substance in a less restrained way; he wrote, "Gold! Gold! Gold! Gold!"

However the admiration has been expressed, gold has long been one of man's pet interests. Ancient Egyptians developed ways of extracting ores from metals, and when Arabian men of letters tried to change such metals as lead into gold, they called their practice "alchemy" ("the Egyptian art").

The pursuit of gold was continued during the Middle Ages, as alchemists tried to discover a mysterious substance called the "philosopher's stone" which would transform common metals into gold. European alchemists did produce sulfuric acid and sodium bicarbonate in the course of their work. And they did identify the elements arsenic, antimony and bismuth — but they found no gold.

The spread of civilization has been helped by the search for gold. In the 15th century, for example, the Spaniards invaded Mexico and South America in search of the valuable metal.

The gold rush of 1849 caused hordes of gold seekers to settle in California, and discovery of gold in Australia in 1851 was the beginning of colonization and eventually a new country there. One nugget found in Australia — and named "Welcome Stranger" — weighed 2,520 ounces, as much as a medium-sized man! The search for gold also helped in the settling of Alaska and South America.

A large amount of gold was mined before 1500 in various parts of Europe, and great quantities were later taken from Central and South America. But the total production from 1500 to 1848 was less than one year's output today.

All the gold mined in the 450 years between 1492 and 1942 amounted to about 50,000 tons; yet gold is so heavy that that amount, if cast into a cube, would measure less than 44 feet each way. Approximately one half of this supply is in national treasuries as gold

bullion or gold coin. About a third has been used in the arts and crafts as jewelry and decoration . . . and the remainder is not accounted for.

Gold has been so highly prized through the ages that it became associated with religion centuries ago. The sacred book of India, the *Rig-Veda*, says the giver of gold receives a life of light and glory. The ancient druids in England used a golden sickle to gather sacred plants.

Ancient Greek philosopher Aristotle believed gold was to be found principally in rivers of the Mediterranean area that ran to the south. Certain tribes in Central America believe gold was born of the sun god, and they mine it only after praying and fasting.

Called "Au" by scientists, gold is the most easily hammered metal — it can be beaten to a thickness of 1/250,000 of an inch. The proportion of gold in an alloy mixture (gold is so soft it is often alloyed with other metals to make it hard) is measured in carats. Pure gold is rated at 24 carats; gold with 18 parts pure gold and 6 parts of alloy is called 18 carat gold.

No matter what its mixture is, whether it is liquid gold or solid, the Dyaks of Borneo believe the "soul" of gold seeks revenge on those who mine or use it, and in India it was thought that mythical beasts called griffons mined gold with their huge curved beaks! Ancient Chinese doctors believed gold could cure ills and give renewed life to the human body; they thought gold to be the most perfect form of matter.

Throughout history, people sought a legendary golden goose that could lay a golden egg; or they tried to find a treasure-filled golden pot at the end of the rainbow. But the most famous golden treasure, in the eyes of many people the world over, might well be the golden rule given in *Matthew* 7:12, as spoken by Jesus: "Whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye also unto them." (This article is used through the courtesy of Distillerie Riunite di Liquori of Italy and its "liquid gold" liqueur, Galliano.)

Central Bank in Jordan

The central bank of Jordan started operations on October 1, taking over the sterling assets and the commitments of the Jordan currency board. The governor of the central bank, Dr. Khalil al-Salem, said that the notes now in circulation would be regarded as currency issued by the bank.

REFORMS SWEEP PNG

At an informal meeting of the Professional Numismatists Guild at the Deauville hotel, Miami Beach, Fla., some 25 members agreed unanimously with proposals put forth by A. Kosoff, PNG President. In a rather lengthy address to the members, Kosoff went back over the years of PNG existence, pointing out the purposes prompting the founding of the Guild, analyzing its successes and its failures and proposing a radical change of policy in regard to membership.

"Now in its 18th year, PNG remains a small group of some 65 professional numismatists," Kosoff began. "As the founder of the Guild, I take the blame for setting a standard prerequisite for membership which may have been proper at the time but is now obviously wrong.

"We have accomplished much that is good for numismatics but we could do more. To accomplish the needs of today we must recognize changing times and altered circumstances. To stay married to an old theory, knowing it is wrong, is the height of folly.

"What have we done wrong? And how can we change it? We have been stiff-necked about approving applicants, we have discouraged membership, we have looked down our noses at those who could and would contribute to our welfare, to theirs, and to all interested in numismatics.

"The fact that we number only 65 is in itself condemnation of our policies. None will deny that many fine dealers fear that their applications for membership in PNG will be black-balled. None will deny that there exists an animosity in the large group of dealers who feel that they cannot join a guild like ours because they are not wanted. None will deny that the black-balling of several applicants during the past few years has created an unfriendly feeling towards PNG.

"Further, although PNG set 'high standards' for membership, it permitted the acceptance of members who have been widely criticized for their business tactics. Yes, we do something about complaints. We do have a 100% record of satisfaction in regard to complaints against any PNG member. The point is, that we have admitted dealers to membership, despite our 'high standards,' despite our cautious selectivity, against whom

charges for unethical practices have been leveled. I do not say, not any longer, 'Keep these men out of PNG.' No, on the other hand, I say 'If these professional numismatists wish to submit to the jurisdiction of a governing body like PNG, take them in, regulate their activities.' If PNG governs 200 professional numismatists, it can serve its members and the collecting fraternity better than if only 65 dealers are involved.

"Let me point out, for example, if a collector picked up one of the numismatic journals and, as he turned page after page he saw in each advertisement the PNG emblem, should an ad appear without the emblem it could prompt the question 'Why?'. This is true only because the preponderance of ads included the emblem. As it is, today, our emblem appears in a minority — a small minority of the ads; and some of our members neglect to order it placed on their pages.

"You know, we have had members who were privileged to use the emblem and they did. Now, some are no longer privileged to use it, but does anyone recognize this fact? No — because they didn't pay much attention to it before and they don't now. If, however, the large majority of the ads included the emblem, not only would it raise the question if it did not appear in an advertisement, it would be doubly significant if the privilege was withdrawn.

"Running PNG is no longer a small task. I find myself spending half of each day on PNG matters. Add to this the time spent by committee chairman and you have a full day's work. The time has come for PNG to think of hiring a full time executive secretary. This will not only give us more efficient operation but will insure the continuity which is so necessary to eliminate the extravagance of wasted effort each time new officers are elected.

"Across my desk comes all sorts of complaints. Some are justified, others not, some involve PNG members, most do not. All, however, require attention, investigation, correspondence, judgments. Firmness, tact, justice — not an easy task and time consuming.

"Not only must we protect the collector, often the dealer needs support

against unjustifiable complaints. It takes time and experience, it takes diplomacy and knowledge. All these can be handled more effectively by a strong executive backed by a strong membership.

"PNG has been called an exclusive private club to which those who aspire to membership are discouraged, to which those we do want are afraid to apply, yes we are accused of turning down applicants who, on the comparative records, are preferable to some who are already members.

"The answer is obvious. Do we stick with a theory of quality which has failed? Do we remain stagnant and plod along while the parade passes us by? Or do we recognize our responsibilities to create a strong, vibrant force to govern ourselves in the daily conduct of the professional numismatic pursuits?

"I say, let us grow in size and in strength. Let all who are professional numismatists of good moral character who agree to submit to the jurisdiction of PNG—let them join our forces. Let us say to them 'Until now it has been difficult to get into PNG. Now we will make it simple to join us—but woe unto him who cannot or will not travel the simple, honest path. Yes it is easy to get in, but to stay in you must toe the line.'

"A strong membership means a strong financial position. This, in turn, means the ability to seek out a strong executive secretary. All in all, a means to greater and more efficient operation, to the lasting benefit of all dealers and collectors alike.

"To those who would object (and some had raised these thoughts) that we cannot risk taking in objectionable members, I can only say that we must recognize that society is made up of all types. Professions must absorb them and control them. There are

attorneys who are disbarred and doctors who are convicted of illegalities. Do we then refuse to see a lawyer or a doctor? The bar and medical associations control them—and that is what we propose to do. Accept those who qualify as professional numismatists of good character. Expel them if they prove to be otherwise.

"Open our doors to those who seek an organization which an efficient PNG can provide. Make them toe the line and make ours again a profession of which we can be proud. It is up to us. If we are leaders we must prove our leadership, for surely if the need exists either we will provide or others will take up the torch," Kosoff concluded.

Secretary Ben Dreiske reported on the progress for the first PNG show scheduled for the Palmer House, Chicago, March 5-7. Fifty dealers will show their wares, about a dozen being invited non-PNG members. An outstanding display, small but powerful, is planned and a short educational program is also to be scheduled. A special journal which will include dealers card advertisements, a history of PNG, its objects, etc., will be prepared by Sol Kaplan, assisted by Q. David Bowers, Fred Samuels and Ben Dreiske.

A west coast PNG show is being considered for the fall of 1965 and a spring 1966 affair will probably be held on the east coast. With the expanded membership, PNG promises to offer the collector the tops in display, bourse and satisfaction.

"I hope," said Kosoff, "we can count on the support of everyone interested in numismatics and that they will coöperate in our efforts to bring our hobby and our profession back to the respected position it deserves and which it held for centuries."

VIETNAM ISSUES NEW BANK NOTE

The National Bank of the Republic of Vietnam has put into circulation a new type of 20 dong (piaster) bank note. Printed by the Thomas de la Rue firm of London, it measures 142 mm. by 71 mm. and is light blue on a yellow and pink background. To prevent counterfeiting by the Communist Viet Cong, the note has a dragon's head watermark. The central design on the obverse is a stylized persimmon flower and, on the reverse, a dragon fish. — DAVID G. BRIGGS, A.N.A. No. R35098

CORRECTION. The cutline of the Bible contest medal (*The Numismatist*, December, 1964, p. 1652) stated incorrectly that the designer was Graham Mitchell. The designer was Rolli. Mitchell was the winner of the Bible contest. The medal was struck and distributed by the Israel Government Coins and Medals Corporation, Ltd., 11, Keren Hayesod St., Jerusalem, Israel.

Obituaries

FRANK PIETSCH, A.N.A. No. 2849

Frank Pietsch, born July 24, 1885, in Austria, came to America when a boy and lived in Frankenmuth, Mich., where he became a veteran township treasurer. He died suddenly on Sept. 18, 1964, at the age of 79, and is survived by two sisters.

Young in spirit and a man of high standards, with a host of friends, Mr. Pietsch had an exceptional knowledge of history. He was a coin and stamp collector of high caliber, having begun his remarkably complete and high grade collection of United States coins and paper money, German notgeld (metal issues) and German porcelain when a young man.

He joined the A.N.A. in 1925 as No. 2849, was a continuous member and received the 25 year membership award in 1951. He was a charter member of the Detroit Coin Club and held the only honorary life membership in the Saginaw Valley Coin Club. The numismatic world has truly lost one of its finest associates. — WDR

VOGEL A. JOHNSON, A.N.A. NO. 21256

Vogel A. Johnson, Lincoln, Neb., died on July 24 following a short illness. He was a long-time member of the Lincoln Coin Club and was also a member of several other clubs in this area. He was active in the Nebraska Numismatic Association from its inception. He was well known as a collector and a part time dealer and attended most of the coin shows in the state. He is survived by his wife, Evelyn, and a son, Melvin.

J. LOUIS ADAMS, A.N.A. NO. 6612

James Louis Adams, 59 and a quarter century member of A.N.A., died on December 25 at his home in Selmer, Tenn., following a long illness. At one time engaged in investment banking in Chicago, he had made his home and practiced law in Selmer for many years.

Mr. Adams was active in legal and political fields, being a member of American Bar Assn., Tennessee Bar Assn., and president at his death of a regional bar association. He was a U.S. commissioner and active in civic affairs, being a founder of the Selmer planning commission. A Civil War enthusiast, he had done much historic research and took an active part in the centennial observance.

When the forerunner of the West Tennessee Numismatic Society was formed in 1954, Mr. Adams became a charter member and its first secretary. His collecting specialty was standing liberty quarters and historical documents and books. He was a veteran of World War II and a member of several historical, service and fraternal organizations.

Survivors include his widow, Ruby; his mother; and a brother and sister.

NEW CURRENCY FOR SIERRA LEONE. Sierra Leone's central bank, the Bank of Sierra Leone, which was established in 1963, began full-fledged central banking operations on August 4 and started issuing the country's new independent currency, the leone. The leone is equivalent in value to 10 shillings sterling (\$1.40) and is divided into 100 cents. The currency hitherto in circulation — the West African pound issued by the West African Currency Board — will be withdrawn as soon as possible. Arrangements have been made between the Bank of Sierra Leone and the West African Currency Board for redemption in sterling of the withdrawn currency. — *The Sierra Leone Gazette*, July 9, 1964; *The Financial Times*, July 31, 1964.

CLUB NEWS

The assistance of all clubs is earnestly solicited to see that club news items intended for publication in this section conform to the following:

1. Please send only news which will interest others than local members.
2. All contributions should be typed, double space on sheets of standard size. Do not underline words or type all capitals. No carbon copies.
3. Give details necessary to convey your story and give it interest, but omit excess words. Brevity is one of the marks of good writing.
4. Study reports of other clubs herein for style and general contents. Be extra careful of spelling names of persons, places and coins.
5. To avoid delays send all club news material to Assistant to the Editor, who is listed with other officers at the front of each issue.
6. Deadline is five weeks preceding the date of issue. Items received after the 25th probably will be held over. Omit reference to events which will occur before the date of publication. — The Editor.

The **Paris Coin Club** will be host to the first North Star coin show April 24-25 at the Boys Club in Paris, Texas. Thirty bourse tables and ample exhibit space are available. Further information may be obtained from Joe B. Bills, 248 First SW, Paris, Texas 75460.

Election of officers featured the November meeting of the **Raleigh Coin Club**, A.N.A. 42236, with the following results: President Bobby Gordon Wrenn, Vice President Bill Fowler, Secretary Jerri Wrenn, and Treasurer John Honbarrier will head the Club for the next year. Visitors are welcomed at our meetings the second Wednesday monthly.

At the **Great Bend Coin Club**, A.N.A. 25704, show in October \$76.50 was raised for the A.N.A. home and headquarters project by selling 50¢ tickets on a \$20 gold piece in a plastic holder. This donation was reported in the listing in the February issue of *The Numismatist*. We considered our two day show, the first one we ever held, to be very successful. — ADAM L. KRAUSE

Officers elected at the November meeting of **Winona (Minn.) Coin Club**, A.N.A. 25073, are as follows: President Miss Orlane Kittle, Vice President Charles R. Wood, Treasurer Mrs. Louis Sheekanoff, Secretary Rollie Finner.

The **West Springfield Coin Club**, A.N.A. 52680, will hold its first show and bourse on Sunday, April 25, at the Dante Club. Chairman for the event, which the Club plans to hold annually, is Roger Gaboury, 36 Eckington St., Springfield, Mass. — JOHN W. KAN, Pres.

Collectors and the public are invited to the third annual show of the **Pawcatuck Valley Coin Club**, A.N.A. 46388, on March 7 at the St. Mary's Parish Hall in Stonington, Conn. Open from noon to 7 p.m., accommodations were arranged for 25 bourse dealers from New York, Rhode Island, Massachusetts and Con-

necticut. Plenty of parking space is available without charge, and refreshments will be available during the afternoon and evening. — JOSEPH D. BAILEY, Chm.

The **Newport County (R. I.) Coin Club**, A.N.A. 47417, met January 4 with fifty members and guests present. President Robert E. Brinton urged members to do their share toward the A.N.A. building fund drive, and the members voted unanimously to contribute \$25 to it from the club treasury. General Chairman Ralph Jaffe of our upcoming third coin festival May 1-2 at the Viking Hotel stated that arrangements were being made for a dealers' brunch on Sunday with a noted speaker, and that a commemorative souvenir would be given to each person attending. Our popular educational forum was conducted, with members' questions being answered by Reggie Wilson and George Kay. At the midnight closing, one question remained unanswered: "How many type coins, not including gold, are there in a complete type set of U.S. coins?" Comments on this one will be appreciated. — ROBERT E. BRINTON, Pres.

The **Lawndale Junior Coin Club** members chose David Parrish as the president elect at the November 22 meeting. Cheryl Dickie was elected vice president, Shelley Rafelson secretary and Steven Morenberg treasurer. The governors for 1965 are Past President Gary Berland, Linda Fahl and Chuck Bottom. Mrs. Jackie Berland and Mrs. Joy Parrish remain as senior advisers, assisted by Mrs. Sharron Reitzes. November meeting exhibit winners were David Parrish, first place ribbon with a display of Mexican coins; Debbie Martin second place ribbon for current coins of Canada; and Shelley Rafelson third for early United States coins. In the educational quiz based on the "Red Book," winners were Linda Fahl, first, David Parrish, second, and Chuck Bottom, third. The junior group meets the fourth Sunday

afternoon in the Rowley Park Recreation auditorium in Gardena, Calif. All school age collectors are eligible for membership. — JOY PARRISH, Sr. Adv.

At the year end, the **Tucson Junior Coin Club** had over fifty members and is proud of its status as the only junior club in Arizona. Meetings are held from 10 a.m. to noon the third Saturday monthly at the Speedway branch of the Arizona Bank. Displays are a feature of



Officers of Tucson Junior Club, l. to r., Past President Dennis R. Preger, Secretary-Treasurer Roy Wm. Kline, President Don F. Laufenburger, Vice President Russell B. Baker, and Sergeant at Arms Louis Boschin.



Part of the members of Tucson Junior Club at a recent meeting.

each meeting, 12 boys showing and giving talks on their displays at a recent meeting. — ROBERT A. MACCAA

The **Toronto Coin Club**, A.N.A. 21085, reports that its October 17 fall rally was attended by prominent numismatists from Halifax to California and was a financial as well as numismatic success, thanks to those who worked so hard to stage it. Display awards among the 91 exhibits entered went to Don Flick for tokens, also best of show winner; Cecil Paul for Canadian decimal coins; Mrs. Dorte Brace for classical coins; Percy Elgie for coins of the British Commonwealth; Mrs. Shirley English for paper currency; Elizabeth Wyn Wood for medals; John Regitko for miscellaneous;

and to Cheryl Munro in the junior class. Under the able direction of David Ashe, the audio-visual program furnished by the **Ontario Numismatic Association** attracted many people who were impressed by the fact that there is much more to numismatics than simply date collecting. A notable feature of the rally was the exhibit of six cases of rare numismatic books by the Toronto Public Library. The auction, conducted by Jim Charlton, satisfied both the auctioneer and the participants. Business at the bourse tables was reported from very good to excellent. The main purpose of the rally appeared to be fulfilled in the bringing together of collectors from many provinces and states in the warm good-fellowship of numismatics. Heartening to those in charge was the statement later received from Mr. Keith of the Bank of Nova Scotia that "We appreciate the opportunity of having attended the rally which we think was well managed and very successful for all concerned." The Club's medal of Canada's centennial (see p. 1684, Dec. issue *The Numismatist*) is available in bronze at \$3 and in silver at \$10. Orders for medals and white plastic cases for two medals at \$2 may be sent to Toronto Coin Club at 100 Front St., W., Toronto, Ont., Canada.

The 33rd meeting of **Steel City Coin Club** was held December 6 at the CIO Hall with 164 members present. Two new members accepted at this meeting brings our total membership to 326. We were reminded that the Club still has a few of its wooden money sets, consisting of a dollar, half dollar, quarter, dime, nickel and penny, available in plastic holder at \$2.00 per set. Others may contact the corresponding secretary at 46 Macamley St., Buffalo, N. Y. 14220, if interested in these novel sets.

In the annual election at the January 3 meeting, George Tutuska was reelected president; other officers elected were George McCoy, vice president, Delphine Walker, treasurer, Ester Boyko, secretary, Frank Incavo, corresponding secretary, Earl Chambers and Leonard Creek, sergeants at arms. We invite guests to our meetings the first Sunday afternoon monthly. — FRANK INCAVO, Corr. Sec.

Incorporated in December, 1963, the **Indiana (Pa.) Coin Club** recently became member 53455 of A.N.A. and holds meetings the second Wednesday monthly at the Rustic Lodge, Route 286, Indiana, Pa. It will hold a spring show April 24-25 at the Holiday Inn on Rt. 119 South, and its fifth annual fall show on October 2-3 at the Rustic Lodge. The Club's mailing address is P. O. Box 44, Homer City, Pa. — C. V. STABILE, Pres.

About 100 members and guests attended the January 16 meeting of **San Diego Numismatic Society**, A.N.A. 6380,

at which Joseph Givens received the gavel from outgoing President Al Baber. Harvey Rose, general chairman of the banquet, turned the program over to Master of Ceremonies Dan Harley, secretary of Cal State. Charles Nissen rendered the oath of office to incoming President Givens, to Vice President Aage Anderson, Secretary Lester Piech, Treasurer George Paes and to Junior President Thomas Rose. The Society's past president's medal, properly inscribed, was presented to Baber, and R. E. Martin received a trophy for his services as general chairman of the 1964 coinarama.



Bryan Burke

Noted numismatist and historian Bryan Burke of San Bernardino gave a very interesting illustrated talk on "Collectors of Yesterday." These collectors included European rulers of the 15th through the 18th centuries. Plaques were awarded to Roger Sullivan for attaining the highest number of points in competitive exhib-

iting the past year, to L. C. Panosh for second place, and to Al Baber and Paul Hamm for third and fourth places. The evening's exhibit winners were Thomas Rose, Harvey Rose and Eugene Cooper, in that order. Life memberships were awarded to Dr. Bruce Wallace, one of the founders of the Society and its first president, and to Tom Ward, long-time member and former editor of our club's bulletin.

At the January 13 meeting in the Congress Hotel, **Chicago Coin Club** members heard Kenneth Bressett of Whitman Publishing Co. speak on the future of coins and coin collecting. He reminded us that changes in coins and coin shortages were not new in the history of our country, citing the 1834 reduction in gold in our coins and the discontinuation of them in 1933. As he views the situation, the government has no choice but to make a change in silver coins very soon. Bressett stressed the duty of collectors to acquaint themselves with the silver problem and take every opportunity to explain it to those with whom they come in contact. He discounts the estimate of 10 million collectors which has been used rather freely in public, stating that he can not arrive at more than half of this number by several methods of estimating. Regardless of changes that may be made in our coins to reduce the amount of silver or elimi-

nate it altogether, he sees no reason to believe that true collecting will be affected adversely. In the ensuing discussion, Glenn Smedley was called upon to give some of the facts and high lights from his recent talk on the silver situation before a group of security analysts in New York. The final phase of the meeting was the installation of 1965 officers by veteran member M. A. Powills, as follows: President Philip J. More; Vice Presidents Richard Peterson and J. Thomas Nolan; Secretary-Treasurer Mrs. Marjorie Baker (reelected); and Directors M. A. Dolnick (Past President), August F. Hausske and Harold R. Klein.

Fred G. Hunter, 67 Broome St., Binghamton, N. Y., was reelected to serve as president of **The Triple Cities Coin Club of New York State** and as chairman of its board at the December 8 annual meeting. Michael Kotsobos was elected first vice president in charge of regular meetings. Since the group was reorganized into a corporation that has given the hobby a boost in all phases of numismatics, it is run by an elected group of directors who elect the executive group to operate club meetings, programs and activities necessary to the welfare of numismatics, the community, and educational appeal to the collectors. Reelected officers include Second Vice President William Vance; Secretary Mrs. Anna W. Wheeler; Treasurer Stuart Ludy; and Directors Paul T. Christiansen, Michael J. Rano, Sr., Philip J. Bunzey, Dr. Irving Werner, Joseph M. Bell, Jr., Robert H. Cornall, Jr., Kenneth A. Hughs, Clark DeLand, and Paul Bennett. The Club's first Public Service Award was given in November to the Sam Page Show of Radio Station WINR in Binghamton. Paul Bennett made the award of a desk plaque on which was mounted a 1964 proof set for community service announcements along with guest appearances from such organizations as the retarded and mental health groups, school and educational groups on a program that allows listeners to call in and ask questions. The Club has also awarded this past year the sum of \$200 to Harpur College in Vestal, N. Y., to be given to a Broome County High School graduate who is in need of funds to continue his education in the College. In the past month the Broome County Technical Community College was granted \$100 on the same basis. Upward of \$200 in numismatic books have been presented to local libraries, with the main Binghamton Public Library receiving special research books for use in its reference room numismatic section. *The Numismatist* is also presented each month to the Library. The club's December *News Bulletin*, of which about 500 copies are mailed monthly, carried an order blank for Canadian proof-like sets. This was a big hit with members. The Club will hold a "Coin Shopping

Plaza Day" on March 27 at the Arlington Hotel in Binghamton. It will feature special exhibits, a bourse and evening auction, about which President Hunter may be contacted. Due to conflicting dates with other shows and conventions, our sixth annual "Coin Is King Show" has been moved to the fall this year but is definitely scheduled for October 8-10 at the Arlington Hotel. This is our all-out annual effort to bring numismatics before the public and to provide collectors with a weekend of exhibits, bourse, educational and good fellowship opportunities. The president will serve as general chairman for this event and invites inquiries from those who wish to participate. — FRED G. HUNTER, Pres.

With the active aid of four other nearby clubs, the **Dansville Area Coin Club**, A.N.A. 47097, will hold the fifth annual coin-a-rama in Dansville, N. Y. on April 25 in the Ellis B. Hyde elementary school. Awards are offered for exhibits in U.S. coins, Canadian coins, paper money, and miscellaneous, with one for the best in show. Outstanding dealers of the area will have bourse tables and a 200-lot auction will be held in the afternoon. Last year's crowd of nearly 500 resulted in choosing a larger space this year where there is ample parking space also. Bourse space is sold out. — ROBERT C. CAIN, Chm.

Newly elected officers of the **Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association**, A.N.A. 21280, are: President Harmer Cole; Vice Presidents Alex Kaptik and Harry Troth, Jr.; Secretary-Treasurer Mae L. Clarke; Sergeant-at-Arms John Gearhart; and advisory board members J. W. Bason, Charles French and Tom Malinowski. Appointed members of the board are Frank Clurvious, B. M. Douglas and Whitey Morris. Joseph Byers and Paul Whisonant were elected delegates at large in Atlantic City last October. The Association's past president plaque was awarded to Arthur Sipe, and its service award went to Eldridge G. Jones for his many years at the post of secretary-treasurer. — MAE L. CLARKE, Sec.-Treas.

The A.N.A. slide set "Coins of Special Significance" was shown at the December 29 meeting of **Bellaire Coin Club** with Tom Pope presenting the commentary. About forty were present to enjoy this showing of unusual coins. The Club donated \$50 from its treasury to the Salvation Army Christmas fund. — MRS. BARBARA ELLIS, Sec.

Officers were elected at the December 14 meeting of **Washington (D.C.) Numismatic Society**, A.N.A. 5385, as follows: President Vernon Bigsby; Vice Presidents Paul Burdette and Mrs. Ruth Leahy; Treasurer Eldridge G. Jones; Secretary Mrs. Mae L. Clarke; Sergeant-at-Arms Frederick Handte; and Board Members Capt. Gordon Keating, Col. Adna G.

Wilde, Jr., G. H. Sandy and Wayne Franklin. — MAE L. CLARKE, Sec.

The **Essex County Coin Club**, A.N.A. 28780, held its 100th meeting on December 8 at the Crestmont Savings in Maplewood, N. J., with President Anthony Milli presiding. A proof set was given to each of two members who worked hard at our recent show and missed the award supper. The secretary gave a talk on the ethics of coin collecting. Titled "The Ten Commandments," several numismatic publications have given Brown a byline for it. Other members were asked to commit themselves as speakers for future meetings, and it was decided to look into the showing of films as an educational feature.

Forty-five members and ten guests attended the January 11 meeting at which four new members were inducted. Several local conventions and shows were announced and a pamphlet distributed explaining the various "legged" buffalo nickels. — JAMES A. BROWN, Sec.-Treas.

The **Montgomery County (Md.) Coin Club**, A.N.A. 37103, elected the following officers at its December 16 meeting: President Herbert Price, Vice President Ted Freter, Treasurer Walter Miller, Secretary Jay Cox, Sergeant-at-Arms Perry Schreeder, and Board Members Walter Mason, Jr. and George Huth. This meeting was billed as "FUN" night, and the fun was in working a large cross word puzzle which proved to be a real challenge. Baby pictures were then projected onto a screen and the members asked to identify them as the adults they now are. Seemed like the cutest pictures were of boys, but time has changed that in most cases. Ben Douglas received a plaque in recognition of his many contributions to the club. — MAE L. CLARKE, Sec.

The **Compton Coin Club** seems to have joined the rest of the nation in the order of the day at the October meeting — campaigning for 1965 officers and a strictly business meeting. The many numismatic activities such as conventions, shows, auctions, etc., and various other situations resulted in cancellations for scheduled speakers.

At the November meeting, guest Dale Sears, a past president of Lakewood and president elect of Downey Coin Club, stepped into the breach and told a rollicking Horatio Alger tale of the young Californian, an overall bedecked telephone worker, who spent his lunch hours between penny picking and window wishing at a local Cadillac agency; how for seven years he picked pennies, saved and studied, bought and sold, until one day he walked in and purchased his brand new buggy the "centsible" way — for cash. (Why not a Lincoln, Dale. We're working on a Mercury ourselves, with those pretty little dimes!) Ernie Hood, famous for his beautiful models of our national memorials made of coins,

told us how a challenge, posed in jest, resulted in his building the Lincoln cabin and the Lincoln and Jefferson Memorials that now belong to Ripley and are on display in the east. Our Ernie isn't just wonderful — like Ripley and Disney, he's "super-califragalistic" and a joy to numis-mankind. Ernest Featherston exhibited a type set of five-cent pieces and, when asked to "say a few words," recounted the history of these coins with the ease of the man who really knows his subject. He touched on the first U.S. Mint, the half dime, the type changes and other features of them from 1792 to the first "nickel" in 1866 and to present coinage. Myron Wiest, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce sponsored Hawthorne show, reported on the CCC winners. Mel Kohl won best in show, and Ron and Wayne Dennis and Joy Parrish won other exhibit awards. Until our next report, we wish a full and happy new year to all of our known and unknown friends, where ever they be. — FELICE DE G. BURT, Sec.

Ninety members and guests of **Holland (Mich.) Coin Club**, A.N.A. 33858, enjoyed a Christmas banquet on December 22 at the Warm Friend Hotel. Replacing the regular monthly meeting, the group enjoyed singing led by Junior President Larry Alferink and Secretary Stephanie Clason after the fine dinner. A copy of the new booklet *Basic Knowledge for the Coin Collector* was a club Christmas present to each member. President P. H. Frans spoke about the way to achieve happiness, numismatic and otherwise, by giving to others and by helping promote worthy organizations. A.N.A. Educational Award Certificates were given to Walter E. West, Joe K. Lack, William J. Hover and the secretary for presenting programs during 1964. The following officers were elected and installed: President William J. Hover; Vice President Lester Cook; Secretary-Treasurer Harriet J. Nordhof; Assistant Secretary Jay Bultman; Assistant Treasurer Carol A. Hover; and Governors Jerald McFall, Joe Meyering and Dr. C. L. Lowe. Past President P. H. Frans and William J. Hover are the **Michigan State Numismatic Society** delegates. — HARRIET J. NORDHOF, Sec.

Some changes are being made in this year's 3rd annual coin festival to be held May 1-2 by the **Newport County Coin Club**, A.N.A. 47417. The bourse will be limited to 30 tables, all in one room in the Viking Hotel in Newport, R.I. Exhibits and lectures will be in a separate room from the bourse. A first at our shows will be a security room for the use of dealers who arrive on Friday. The hotel has fairly priced room accommodations and dining facilities for out of town guests. The general chairman may be contacted at 433 Thames St., Newport, R.I. 02840. — RALPH S. JAFFE, Gen. Chm.

Forty-three members and guests were present at the January meeting of **Muscle Shoals Coin Club**, A.N.A. 33635. Speakers for the evening were Charley Palmer III, who had on display a gold coin type set, and Dr. S. S. Norvell. They gave some interesting facts about gold coins and their talks were followed by a question and answer period. March will mark the 6th birthday of this Club and plans are being made for a special exhibit meeting for the occasion, with prizes for the best displays in several categories. A birthday cake and coffee will be served. The president appointed Bob Simmons as National Coin Week chairman and plans are beginning to take shape for this annual event. — FAYE KIRKPATRICK, Pres.

A special medal is being struck by the **Hershey Coin Club**, honoring Milton S. Hershey, for its third annual show at



Hershey Coin Club medal.

the Hershey Community Center, May 29-30. The medal will be produced in both silver and bronze, with a limited number in gold. The show will include a bourse with a restricted number of tables. Bourse chairman is Samuel Seibert, P. O. Box 269, Elizabethtown, Pa. 17022. — L. R. LINDGREN, Publ. Chm.

The **Clinton County (Pa.) Coin Collectors Club** held a very active January 6 meeting and voted to apply for A.N.A. membership. Plans were made to donate a substantial number of coin books to the Ross Library in Lock Haven. Committees have been formed and definite plans made to hold our third annual show on March 27-28. It will be in the Fallon Hotel in Lock Haven with Malcolm D. Schenck, 335 E. Main St., Lock Haven, Pa. as chairman. Our 1963 and 1964 shows were very successful with sizeable crowds at both. — GEORGE W. SMITH

The **Benton Harbor-St. Joseph Coin Club**, A.N.A. 45673, held its first 1965 meeting on January 14 with 54 members and guests in attendance. New officers were installed as follows: President William J. Hover; Vice President Richard Skibbe; Secretary-Treasurer Vivian Langdon; Corresponding Secretary Carol Hover; Sergeant-at-Arms Harvey Jones; Librarian Fred Lawrence; and Directors Les Ballard, Larry Kickles, Tim

Marschke, Jr., Dan Rucks and Henry Toy. "Mint Errors" was the topic of the evening's guest speaker, Al Bobrofsky. He took us on a step by step "tour" through the coin making process at the U.S. Mint, explaining the various phases a coin goes through in the making and how mint errors come to be. He demonstrated his talk with an exhibit of coins from his own extensive collection. Bobrofsky related also that he is now in the process of preparing slides of mint errors for the **Michigan State Numismatic Society**, and that these will be available to MSNS member clubs at a future date. — CAROL HOVER, Corr. Sec.

The **Fort Worth Coin Club**, A.N.A. 23430, wants you to reserve September 25-26 for its 4th annual coin show in Hotel Texas. This year the show will be devoted to numismatics only, not being connected with the gun club as in previous years. — MRS. L. J. ROBINSON, A.N.A. Rep.

Joel L. Malter of Venice, Calif., addressed the members and guests at the December 21 meeting of the **Santa Barbara Coin Club**, A.N.A. 29611. Malter's subject was ancient coins, restricted in this discussion to those from the area of Western India to Western Europe with emphasis on the coins minted by lands bordering the Mediterranean Sea during the period 700 B.C. to A.D. 476. He said that the subject of ancient numismatics is a vast one with several main areas of interest, and that people have studied ancient coins longer than any others. He explained that Greek coins appeal to collectors for a number of reasons including their artistic merit, mythological symbolism and historical values, which he indicated was his main interest. He said that no die engravers have ever come close to the skill of the ancient engravers even though they worked without benefit of modern tools, magnifying glasses and the like. He discussed the various metals, including electrum which is a natural alloy of gold and silver, and the coin denominations from the tiny obols through the large but beautiful dekadrachms. He said it is a fantastic thing to realize these coins are extant and in such a fabulous state of preservation. Malter went on to tell of the Roman coins indicating that although they are similar to those of the Greeks, Roman art was more realistic than idealistic, and they went in more for political coin types for propaganda purposes. He said they rarely used electrum and, while both Greeks and Romans plated their coins, the late Roman Empire coins were heavily debased. He mentioned some of the interesting coins of related ancient empires such as those of the Diadochi, the associated Greek kingdoms of Parthia and Bactria, and the coins of the barbarians: Celts, Vandals, etc. In summary, he explained that the cost of ancient coins has risen

at just about the same proportion as American coins in the last decade; and gave some suggestions as to how a person can systematically collect ancients at the present time at a moderate expense, such as a coin of each ruler of a particular dynasty, or of each mythological character, or coins of miniature size, etc. He strongly recommended that aspiring collectors of ancient coins obtain good numismatic libraries for background knowledge and coin attribution purposes; and advised that membership in ancient numismatic societies is very helpful, giving the names of several. He concluded his excellent program with the showing of some very beautiful color slides of ancient coins. Federico Claveria very ably presided over this December meeting, at which it was announced that Don Jurgensen had accepted the appointment as president of the Club. All present were given little Christmas remembrances from the Club.

Ray Bower, second vice president and program chairman, presided over the January 18 meeting when over 85 members and guests viewed with interest and enjoyment the A.N.A. slides of U.S. type coins, 3¢ through the 20¢ pieces. The lecture notes were read by Ted Phillips, first vice president. New President Don Jurgensen advised that the Club would be represented by exhibits and members in attendance at a booth during two forthcoming hobby shows in Santa Barbara. He advised also that the Club's collection of coins and paper money would be on display, thanks to curators Rudy and Ruth Wukasch who were working on making it into an attractive exhibit. There were several exhibits at this meeting, including the Club's collection; a U.S. type set in plastic by Mrs. Don Jurgensen; some unusual cob pieces by J. M. Sullivan; and an extremely nice type set of U.S. fractional and postage currency, shown by R. R. Bower. Lastly, we want to notify readers of our 7th annual show to be held June 4-6 at the Convention Center, Miramar Hotel in Santa Barbara. The general chairman is R. R. Bower, P. O. Box 291, Ojai, Calif. — GWEN SENTIS, Editor

We wish to extend an invitation to A.N.A. members to visit the **Oregon Numismatic Society** which meets the first Monday evening monthly at 1220 S.W. Taylor St. in Portland. The new officers for 1965 are: President Joe Boone; Vice President Dr. Harpole; Recording Secretary William Walton; Corresponding Secretary Ralph Kaufman; Treasurer Walt Cramer; Library Curator James Petshow; and Directors Dorio Salerno, immediate past president, Francis Roumagoux and William Worth. We have bourse tables, an auction and other activities, and plan on starting a bid board. — RALPH F. KAUFMAN, Corr. Sec.

The 7th semiannual Okan area coin show will be held in Coffeyville, Kansas, at the Dale Hotel on March 13-14 and

sponsored by the **Coffeyville Coin Club**, A.N.A. 26145. Admission will be free to the exhibits, 20-table bourse and bid board auction, and police protection will be provided. Show Chairman Ray Biswell anticipates over 1000 visitors during the two-day show at which one of the special attractions will be the display of ancient coins which won the first award in its class at the A.N.A. Cleveland convention. It will be exhibited by Mr. and Mrs. LaMar Davis of Edna, Kansas, the owners. Exhibit awards will be presented at a buffet breakfast scheduled for 8 a.m. Sunday at George's Cafeteria. — MRS. ALLAN BROOKS, Publ. Chm.

The **East Bay Coin Club**, A.N.A. 17272, moved to change its meetings to a new location and beginning with the first 1965 meeting will use the Danish Hall, 164 Eleventh St., Oakland, Calif. Its meetings are scheduled for the second Friday monthly. Officers for 1965 are: President Don Crosman; Vice President Bates Johnston; Secretary R. G. McArthur; Treasurer R. J. Frost; and Governors John Ball, Roy Hill, George Squires and Dana Booth, the latter being the past president. — R. G. MCARTHUR, Sec.

St. Marys School Gym in Niles, Mich., will be the scene of the April 4 fourth show of the **Tri-City Coin Club**. Admission will be free to the bourse, auction and exhibits, with awards offered in four classes in both junior and senior exhibits. In addition to the best of show in each group, classes for competitive exhibits are U. S. coins, U. S. paper money, foreign coins, foreign paper money and, for the seniors only, miscellaneous. Chairman Charlie Romans may be contacted at P. O. Box 68, Buchanan, Mich.

The color movie "Money Minters" was enjoyed by 37 persons attending the December 28 meeting of **Manchester Coin Club**. We welcome visitors at our last Monday of each month meetings at the YMCA in Manchester, N. H. The Club has revised its charter and plans to incorporate soon. — IRENE T. WAGELING, Sec.

The **William Penn Coin Club** will hold its "Shower of Gold" show in the Burgandy Room on the street floor of the Bellevue Stratford Hotel, Broad and Locust Sts. in Philadelphia on March 20. Feeling a responsibility to see that its bourse dealers have a large number of customers, the Club has limited tables for this event to 40 with those having tables at our last show being given preference over the newcomers who applied. The show has been given outstanding publicity in numismatic periodicals, local newspapers and on radio stations. Flyers have been distributed at other shows in the area and to nearby clubs. Registration at our shows is not compulsory but 1,465 were recorded at

one recently. Exhibits will be numerous and prominently displayed, and an innovation will be a panel of experts in the exhibit area to answer visitor's numismatic questions throughout the day. President Frederick Bloh is acting as chairman and may be contacted at P. O. Box 6256, Philadelphia, Pa. 19136. The Club was founded in 1956 and has an adult membership of 329. Meetings are held the 4th Tuesday monthly at the Rhawnhurst Legion, 2019 Rhawn St. in Philadelphia. — DANIEL J. LORDEN, Publ. Sec.

The **Hutchinson Coin Club**, A.N.A. 30830, will hold its 7th annual show in the New Royal Inn Motel on April 3-4. Norlis Drake, 1703 Westbrook Dr., Hutchinson, Kansas 67501, is general chairman and will be glad to hear from anyone wishing further information.

The **Salem Coin Club**, A.N.A. 39606, announces its spring show to be held March 19-21 at Crossroads Mall, Roanoke, Va. We feel sure of another fine show, having had an estimated attendance of over 10,000 at the last one. Information on bourse and exhibit space and other phases of the show may be obtained by addressing the Club, P. O. Box 175, Salem, Va. — R. E. RICHARDSON

On December 18 the **Monterey Park Coin Club**, A.N.A. 25300, held its annual Christmas and installation party with over 200 members and guests present. The regular meeting was dispensed with in favor of a strictly social affair. Santa Claus, in the person of Cliff Kreizel, passed out gifts to all members present and a buffet dinner was served to which each member contributed a hot dish. The following 1965 officers were installed by David Heagele: President Ted Weber; Vice President Loren Carter; Treasurer Gordon Greene, Recording Secretary Edith Benson; Corresponding Secretary Vera Schymos; and Directors A. H. Barry, R. B. Carter, George Dashiell, Bob Northwood and Paul Schymos. — GORDON Z. GREENE, Publ. Chm.

The 16th quarterly meeting of the **California Exonumist Society** was held recently at Disneyland and the following were elected as officers for 1965: President Ethel Stone; Vice President Gilvin A. Ayers; Secretary Joseph Gar-side; Treasurer Pauline Ney; and Board Members Dorothy Beaulieu, Peggy Borgolte, Ralph Mitchell, Alva Christensen, Leonel Panosh, Virginia Culver, Clay Reed, Paul Hamm and John Reynolds.

The **Piasa Bird Coin Club**, A.N.A. 42755, is planning its fourth annual coin-rama for April 25 at the Mineral Springs Hotel in Alton, Ill. New officers for 1965 are: President William Cress, Vice President William Spink, Secretary-Treasurer Francis Yowell, and Sergeant-at-Arms Joe Alben. Meeting dates have

been changed to a once a month basis, to be on the third Sunday of odd months and on the third Wednesday of even months. William Spink gave a talk at the January 17 meeting on the recently discovered treasure off the coast of Florida. — FRANCIS YOWELL, Sec.

Notice has been received to the effect that the **South Plains Coin Club** will hold its annual show March 12-14 at the Holiday Inn, Lubbock, Texas. Chairman Jon Coll may be contacted at P. O. Box 106, Lubbock, Texas 79408.

The **Rush County Coin Club**, A.N.A. 39617, has set September 12 as the date for its annual show, to be held at the Legion Hall in Rushville, Ind. Don E. Smith, 517 E. 11th St., Rushville, will be bourse chairman and may be contacted for table space. — MRS. JAMES MOSTER, Publ. Chm.

The Rustic Lodge in East Paterson, N. J. was the scene of the annual Christmas party of the **Bergen County Coin Club**, A.N.A. 22867. This event is looked forward to by members as one of the social highlights of the year when families get together and all have a good time. It was also the occasion for the installation of officers, officiated over this time by our honored guest Martin



Bergen County officers, l. to r., Robert Hadley, Gilbert W. Hall, Helen Schrader, Everett Labagh and Jack Nuesslein.

Kortjohn. Taking over for 1965 were President Gilbert W. Hall, Vice President Everett Labagh, Treasurer Jack Nuesslein, Corresponding Secretary Robert Hadley and Recording Secretary Helen Schrader. We look forward to a good and interesting year. — HELEN SCHRADER, Rec. Sec.

With 18 of 30 members and 4 guests present, the **Mount Baldy Coin Club**, A.N.A. 48428, elected the following new officers at its January 19 meeting: President Ray Compton, Vice President Millie (Mrs.) Toscano, and Secretary-Treasurer R. E. Emerson. Hereafter our monthly meetings will be held on a new date, the fourth Tuesday, at the Montana Power Bldg. in Livingston. — R. E. EMERSON, Sec.

Don DeVore, well known in Ohio as a coin authority and owner of the Buckeye Coin Shop, was the featured speaker at

the January meeting of **Columbus Numismatic Society**, A.N.A. 4052, in the Neil House Hotel. He reviewed some of his former predictions, as published in *Numismatic Scrapbook Magazine*, and showed that a fair share of them had come true. Some of his forecasts of things to come in 1965 are a price rise in gold, rise in Canadian sets, and silver coins to double if we go off silver coinage. He stated that we will always have some kind of coins to collect. The Club will hold the only A.N.A. affiliated Columbus coin show in the Neil House on March 27-28, with a security room open Friday. General Chairman Duane Lockwood, 2990 Indianola, Columbus, Ohio 43202, states that the bourse will be limited to 70 tables, and exhibitors will be welcomed in competition for awards. There will be no banquet this year. — HARRY MOWERY, Publ. Chm.

The newly elected president of the **Fremont Coin Club**, A.N.A. 32838, is Walter Carlstrom. Vice President Lawrence Lindgren and Secretary-Treasurer Gelvin F. Leeper were reelected at the January meeting in the Fremont, Neb., Fire Station. With a membership of 50, we have a drive underway for new members. — GELVIN F. LEEPER, Sec.

The fact that repeated absences from meetings does not necessarily indicate disinterest was demonstrated at the 274th meeting of **Missouri Numismatic Society** on January 11 in Hotel Sheraton-Jefferson. The 101 members and guests enjoyed hearing comments related by President Al Wick from two of our long time non-attending members. Ron Thoene, now in Artillery Service in Ft. Lewis, Wash., passed on the information that halves and quarters are very scarce in that locality, and that Lincoln cents in "G" and "VG" conditions are decreasing, although he purchased a 1909-S Lincoln cent in good in a recent auction for 18. Edward Kelley, who joined the Society in 1955 but has been unable to attend the past 5 years due to health reasons, called to congratulate President Wick and the other officers on the Christmas party which, Kelley had heard, upheld most admirably the traditionally fine aspects of this annual event. The evening's speaker was longtime member Bill DeClue, also founder and president of the **World Coin Club of Missouri** which came into being in October 1964 and currently enjoys a membership of 20. DeClue, who predicted the amazing popularity of foreign coin collecting long before it became evident, spoke on "Basic Information for Foreign Coin Collecting." He stated that the number of collectors joining the foreign trend grows rapidly, but that many people entering this field have difficulty with the identification, grading, pricing and housing of their foreign coins. "To identify your foreign coins books are necessary," he stated, "and there are books available which cover almost

every phase of foreign coinage. Many of the standard books are inexpensive, although many of the more specialized ones are out of print and are expensive and very difficult to obtain." He called attention to Yeoman's catalog of *Modern World Coins*, one of the more popular books, which shows type coinage for most countries from about 1850 to date. DeClue believes that this book is considered by many to be the guide book of foreign coins. Later this year Whitman expects to publish a companion book showing prices and illustrations of coins from 1750 to 1850. Reinfeld's *World's Most Popular Coins* also shows coinage by types, going back quite a bit further than Yeoman's. Davenport's crown books, four volumes covering crowns of Europe and Germany from 1700 to date, is excellent for crown collectors, showing thousands of obverse and reverse illustrations for easy identification. These books are out of print but are being reprinted in 2 volumes to sell at \$12.50 each. He praised *World Coins*, a sister publication to *Coin World*, for furnishing much data on mintages and prices of foreign coins, and printing many good articles containing interesting and valuable information for collectors of foreign coins. He agrees that grading of foreign coins is a bit more difficult than U.S. coins but believes that time and experience will resolve this. As to pricing, he feels that books, periodicals and auction results are pretty much indicative, although prices of some coins and especially proof sets have been advancing rapidly. "There are many coins and sets in the foreign field which are very much underpriced and, if purchased now, will be tomorrow's bargains." He agrees that housing of foreign coin collections is a problem but called attention to the albums which Whitman and Dansco are making each year for them, and to the nice holders for several commemorative and type sets designed by Erwin J. Felix of California. Also, he suggests, many of the National and Whitman blank pages and folders may serve the purpose quite well. He concluded by inviting all interested persons to attend the World Coin Club of Missouri meetings the 4th Tuesday monthly in the American Legion Bldg. at Chippewa and Gravois in St. Louis, or to write to him, William R. DeClue, 7740 Arlington Ave., St. Louis, Mo. 63119. President Wick regretfully announced the death of Bert Sawley, 58, of East St. Louis, Ill., who expired New Year's Day at a hospital from a heart attack. He had been a member of the Society since early 1961 and will be missed by his fellow members. Wick announced also the resignation of Vice President Jerry Hillebrand and the appointment of former President Ed Boehme, Sr., to that office. Gus Pries was named to fill the board vacancy left by Boehme. For the first time, the Society publicly administered its recently adopted Oath of Allegiance to eight new members. Three

additional applicants were interviewed. We were all pleased to receive a free copy of the first issue of a delightful 20-page booklet, *Hobbies to Enjoy*, published by Wick. For information about this publication, contact Al Wick at P. O. Box 2641, St. Louis, Mo. 63116. — BERNICE STEVENSON, Publ. Chm.

The **Lincoln Land Coin Club**, A.N.A. 40816, is formulating plans for its 5th annual show, to be held in the St. Nicholas Hotel in Springfield, Ill. on July 10-11. Awards for exhibits will be offered, as well as door prizes. For exhibit space or 8-foot bourse table reservations, contact Chairman John Preckwinkle, 2107 Grant St., Springfield, Ill. All requests for information will be given prompt attention. — HELEN I. KENNEDY, Sec.

Executive Secretary Charles A. Brunelle of the **Chittenden Coin Club**, A.N.A. 18167, recently announced that the Club will sponsor its 2nd annual show April 25 at the State Armory in Burlington, Vt. Exhibit Chairman William Guilford may be contacted at 462 Shelburne St., and Brunelle at 43 S. Union St., both in Burlington, Vt.

The **Echo Park Coin Club**, A.N.A. 47322, elected the following new officers at its December meeting: President Jack C. MacKay; Vice President John V. Mazzeo; Secretary Judi MacKay; Treasurer Bob Null; Corresponding Secretary Grace Mazzeo; and Governors Orlando Laurie, Louis Romero, Dale Sholley and Jim Walport. Ann Hall, speaker of the evening, displayed her collection of coins depicting famous women and gave a most interesting talk on them. Jim Waldorf displayed his fine collection of turban head half dollars of 1807-1836. We invite visitors to our meetings the fourth Monday monthly at 245 Lucas Ave. and Miramar, Los Angeles. — GRACE MAZZEO, Corr. Sec.

With an attendance of 31 members and guests, the **Western Reserve Numismatic Club** held its 519th meeting at the Statler Hilton Hotel in Cleveland on January 13. Our new officers are President Larry Freeman; Vice Presidents Reinhold A. Grapatin and Clarence Wright; Secretary-Treasurer Fred N. Hahlen; Curator Otto Budde; and Governors S. Fred Rosenthal, Lemont Kier, Clayton A. Gray, R. T. McNamara and Russell L. Poxon. Jerry Price gave a short talk on the Thomas Spence who issued British trade tokens. Displays were by Larry Freeman, Ruth Hassell, Joe Lukas, Robert McNamara, Harry Mueller, Jerry Price and Fred Rosenthal. — FRED N. HAHLEN, Sec.

The **North Bay Coin Club** announces its 3rd annual show will be held May 22-23 at the Civic Center Plaza, 27th and Nevin Ave. in Richmond, Calif. An auction will be handled by Robert B. Burroughs, bourse by John Hess, and the

exhibits are being arranged by Florence D. Hess and Reta Hartson. All correspondence should be addressed to General Chairman Glen Schindler, P. O. Box 444, Sta. A, Richmond, Calif.

With an attendance of 80, the **South-ern Hub Coin Club** held its January 10 meeting at the Lennox Woman's Club in Inglewood, Calif. Tom Wood, past president of the **Numismatic Association of Southern California**, conducted the installation of officers, instructing each in his duties and presenting a memento to each apropos to his individual office. Officers installed were: President Foster Hall; Vice President Walter Snyder; Secretary Virginia Dennis; Treasurer Al Camacho; and Governors Wayne Dennis, Lila Barrett, Vena Crow, Mel Kohl, John Burris and Ronald Thompson. Wood spoke on the progress of the **A.N.A.** in its building fund drive, stating that it has several sites offered and should have definite news soon after February. Virginia Dennis accepted the past president's plaque from President Hall on behalf of her husband, Wayne Dennis, who was absent. — ANN M. HALL, Editor

There were 31 members present at the January 14 meeting of the **Big Spring Coin Club** in the Crawford Hotel, Big Spring, Texas. Our new President Dois McKee led a discussion on the events of the coming year and how to create more interest in our club's activities. A membership drive will be launched at our February 11 meeting. — CLETA BRITTON, Sec.

The **San Diego County Inter-Club Numismatic Council**, A.N.A. 43720, will sponsor the 8th annual coinarama June 4-6 at the El Cortez Convention Center in San Diego. General Chairman is R. E. Martin, 1141 Sixth Ave., San Diego, Calif. 92101. — JEANNE R. MARTIN

The coin clubs of the Lehigh Valley will hold the first Lehigh Valley coin show on April 24-25 at Hotel Traylor in Allentown, Pa. Admission will be free and plans call for 50 bourse dealers and door prizes. The secretary is Mrs. Kathleen Decker, 840 Kieffer St., Bethlehem, Pa.

The **Shawnee Coin Club** and the **Seminole Coin Club** have joined forces to stage their 2nd annual show on March 27-28 in the Municipal Auditorium in Shawnee, Okla. J. D. Williams is chairman and further information may be obtained from him at 1905 N. Philadelphia St., Shawnee, Okla.

The **Greeley Coin Club**, A.N.A. 10300, elected the following new officers at its January 8 meeting: T-Sgt. Rick Bronson, president; LeRoy Mercer, vice president; Wayne Hays, secretary; Ralph A. Smith, treasurer; and Virginia Bronson, A.N.A. club representative. Members have been working on National Coin Week since

November and plan to enter the **A.N.A.** competition for national honors. In reviewing recent **A.N.A.** assistance rendered to the Club, Mrs. Bronson pointed out that 3 Educational Award Certificates had been presented to members since the program was originated, and that 2 more are pending. Recent visits by A.N.A. Governor Ralph Cleaver have done much to spark our drive for donations to the home and headquarters fund, and we are rapidly approaching our goal. The Club has proposed two collectors for A.N.A. membership in connection with its NCW effort and has several other good prospects in view. We have gained 10 new club members already this year and 2 have been recruited for the **Colorado-Wyoming Numismatic Association**. — VIRGINIA BRONSON, A.N.A. Rep.

The **Ypsilanti Coin Club**, A.N.A. 51632, started its sixth year in January with the election of the following officers for 1965. President Raymond White; Vice Presidents Milan Adams and John Canfield; Secretary-Treasurer Milan McKenna; and Governors Floyd Williams (chairman), Robert Harrison, Jr., and Robert Cauley. President White assumed active administration of the Club at the January 25 meeting. The Club has a new meeting location also, and will now hold its twice monthly meetings at the West Junior High School in Ypsilanti, Mich., the 2nd and 4th Monday evenings. Meetings are recessed in July and August each year. — M. M. MCKENNA, Sec.-Treas.

Dr. Charles Haddad, president of **Uncas Numismatic Association**, A.N.A. 18760, has announced the appointment of Robert Mazyck as general chairman of our annual show to be held April 11 at the American Legion Hall in Norwich. Free registration with optional registration, bourse tables for 25 dealers, a host of exhibits, easy accessibility, ample parking space, and refreshments should make this a repeat success. Last year over 800 people visited the show. Betty Norville is in charge of the exhibits. General chairman Mazyck may be contacted at 23 Maple St., Norwich, Conn. We are in the southeast section of the state, 40 miles from Hartford, 50 from Providence and only 100 from Boston. Visitors using the Connecticut Turnpike should leave at exit 80 and go one mile on Route 82. — ABRAHAM SLOPAK, Publ. Chm.

Fifty-five members and three guests attended the December 15 meeting of **Montreal Numismatic Society**, A.N.A. 23565, at which a 5 franc Moroccan coin was given to each member. President James Flannagan congratulated the members on the excellent winter season attendance. Chairman Louis Goldsmith of the **Canadian Numismatic Association** 1965 convention reported that all bourse tables have been sold and read a letter from President Eddy Echenburg which stated that James Charlton has been

appointed convention auctioneer and that Edward Knight would donate a trophy, on behalf of the Canadian PNG, for the best display at the convention. The members unanimously approved the following executives for the coming year: President Stanley Rychel, Vice President Lawrence Cohen, Treasurer Norman Thomas, Secretary Miss Joan Green and Librarian-Historian Mrs. Sara Verity. Robert Verity presented awards of a silver cigarette box to outgoing President James Flannagan and a set of cuff links and tie pin to retiring Vice President Stanley Rychel. The Lieutenant Governor's silver medal will be presented to Flannagan and Rychel and, in bronze, to Miss Joan Green in the near future. — BARRY UMAN, Editor

George E. Tillson was reelected president of the **Westchester County Coin Club** at its annual business meeting on December 15 in the New Rochelle YMCA. Also reelected were Vice President Edward G. Oravec and Secretary John P. Jensen. George Baronian was chosen as treasurer and Kenneth L. E. Marsden as librarian. Governors are Charles E. Vaughan, Andrew Pugliese and all past presidents. James Fastiggi spoke on the history of U.S. fractional currency at this meeting. — J. E. MASSEY

The **Fostoria Coin Club** is planning its first show for April 3-4 at Lehmanns Lodge. Chairman is Robert Holden, P.O. Box 211, Fostoria, Ohio. In addition to the show, to which there will be no admission charge, the site has a 54-unit motel, restaurant with American-Chinese foods, large parking area, indoor swimming, bowling, and a golf course. — H. BURGER, Publ. Chm.

Maurice M. Gould installed the 1965 officers of the **Collectors Club of Boston**, A.N.A. 28048, at the January 19 meeting, as follows: President Elliott L. Goldberg; Vice President John D. Mullen; Treasurer James Stone; Secretary Myron Glasberg; and Directors Lawrence P. Martin, Robert Vlack and John L. Powers. The meeting was held in the Knights of Columbus Hall in Brighton, Mass. — MYRON GLASBERG, Sec.

At the December 20 meeting of **Mon Valley Coin Club**, A.N.A. 33190, the following officers were elected for 1965: President A. F. Krutz, Vice President J. V. Frantz, Treasurer Dale Grim, Recording Secretary John Halstead, Corresponding Secretary Irene Hlatky, and Sergeant at Arms Richard Carothers. Our meetings are held the 3rd Sunday afternoon monthly at the Eagles Club in Charleroi, Pa. — IRENE HLATKY, Corr. Sec.

The **Fort Collins Coin Club**, A.N.A. 30600, met at the First National Bank January 8 and seated the following officers for 1965: President Bill Pope, Vice President Kenneth Otzenberger, Treas-

urer Walter P. Bohler and Secretary L. Hellene Bohler, P.O. Box 2, Fort Collins, Colo. 80522. A \$100 donation to the A.N.A. headquarters fund was voted and Treasurer Bohler announced that a \$74 check was presented to Gateway from the Christmas party auction. Plans were discussed for the Club's May birthday party. Our meetings are held the first Friday evening monthly in the First National Bank Bldg. and anyone interested in the hobby is invited.

Newly elected officers for the **Mansfield Stamp & Coin Club** are President Oakley Smith, Vice President Tony Koroknay, Secretary Marcella Muir, Treasurer Max Heisz. Plans are under way for our 12th annual show and auction, to be held June 27 at Kingwood Center, 900 Park Avenue West in Mansfield, Ohio. Tony Koroknay was appointed chairman, to be assisted by Dale Bricker as co-chairman. All correspondence for the Club should be addressed to it at P.O. Box 178, Mansfield, Ohio 44901. Our meetings are held the 1st and 3rd Thursdays monthly in the Service Room of Kingwood Center. — MRS. MARCELLA MUIR, Sec.

Having won four consecutive National Coin Week awards, the **Panhandle Coin Club**, A.N.A. 36183, is going all out this year to make it five. The following organization has been set up to work toward this goal: Bill Richards and Ed Coates are general co-chairmen; Red Woodward and Bill Taylor will be in charge of window displays; Ed Davenport, Ted Kadlecik and Jerry Reynolds are handling publicity; Bill Schlickbernd, Alfred Augustine and Frank Abold will be responsible for the scrapbook. Otto Moeller was appointed temporary chairman of the hobby show which is held in conjunction with NCW. This was a success last year and we hope to get public participation again. Ed Coates was given an A.N.A. Educational Award Certificate for his recent talk about a gold solidus.

At our January 20 meeting there was further discussion of the hobby show and NCW activities. Tentatively the show is scheduled for April 25. An A.N.A. Educational Award Certificate was presented to Jerry Reynolds for a talk he gave on the Kennedy half dollar. — JERRY L. REYNOLDS, Reporter

Installed at the helm of the **North East Ohio Coin Club**, A.N.A. 34000, is one of Cleveland's outstanding numismatists, Jerome C. Price. Others who took office at the annual Christmas party were Vice Presidents Thomas Ashton and Herman Pressman, Treasurer Guy Waltman, Corresponding Secretary Lieda Ross and Recording Secretary Marjorie Gold. Outgoing President Anthony Olszewski was in charge of the meeting and distributed many numismatic presents. Display Chairman Anthony Olszewski presented trophies to members who had displays at meetings during the past year, as

follows: Thomas Ashton, Robert Greene, Bill Halliwell, Ronald Kess, James Kirkwood, Anthony himself and Jerome Price. It was a festive occasion for the 279



Officers of North East Ohio Coin Club include, l. to r., Thomas Ashton, Jerome C. Price, Guy Waltman and, seated, Herman Pressman and Marjorie Gold.

members and their families who enjoyed a buffet supper, entertainment and dancing. — MRS. HENRY ENGELMAN, Pub. Chm.

The **Brooklyn Coin Club**, A.N.A. 4242, opened the new year on a very proud and happy note at its January 6 meeting. William Wild displayed the lovely silver trophy that he won for Best-in-Show at the December GENA convention in New York City. Irving Vengrove, our treasurer, won 1st in U. S. coins and new board member Rev. Frank H. Hutchins was awarded 2nd for currency. President Eddie Schuman presented an A.N.A. Educational Award Certificate to Boris Wisly for reading a paper on Canadian silver dollars at a previous meeting. We were happy to greet our charter member Morris Klaif, who has neglected us for quite a while. Election of 1965 officers was accomplished by having the secretary cast one vote for all incumbents except Tom Wass, whose term as a governor had expired. Rev. Hutchins was chosen for this office. More than 30 members and their ladies attended our 32nd anniversary dinner and gave glowing accounts of it, thanks to Isidore Herman and his splendid committee. President Schuman read an article from *The Numismatist* about thefts and robberies, and quite a discussion ensued. Suggestions made were to have an unlisted telephone number; store all valuable coins (and other numismatic items) in a bank vault; report repeated odd telephone calls to the police; install some kind of an alarm — even if it's only a buzzer it may scare an intruder off. On the subject of insurance, some unsatisfactory transactions were reported

but it was considered a "necessary evil." It was agreed that applicants for membership in the club should be screened more carefully, and Morris Bram suggested that no guest be admitted to a meeting who was not in the company of a member. — MAX VLOTKOFFSKY, Sec.

The **Mayfield (Ky.) Coin Club** will hold its first Kollect-A-Koin show on April 3-4 at the Merit Convention Hall in Mayfield. There will be 32 bourse tables at \$7.50 each for dealers, and a choice selection of bid board items will be offered each day. There will be a number of valuable prizes at this show which is expected to be one of the biggest in this part of the country. Contact the Club at P. O. Box 427, Mayfield, Ky. for further information and reservations. — BOYCE G. YATES, Pres.

Under the leadership of President Emory Orton and Secretary-Treasurer Esther Whisler, the **Osage Coin Club**, A.N.A. 26553, closed another successful year at its January 4 meeting in the Duncan Hotel, Pawhuska, Okla. Harry Roberts installed the following new officers: Dr. E. E. Stock, president; Dr. Fred Harper and Rev. Justin Gavin, vice president; Novella Watson, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Paul Humphrey and Strat Tolson, board members. At the year end we had fifty members, including five associates and three juniors. At meetings members answer the roll call by relating current events pertaining to numismatics. Mrs. Emory Orton is in charge of a project to display coins in the Osage County Historical Society. Coins will be shown having dates that tie in with historical events of the County. Our 8th anniversary party was held in May at the City Library, the J. H. Edmundsons being hosts. Two dinner meetings were held at the Duncan Hotel but no meetings were held in July and August. Prizes were awarded for the best displays among the 25 cases of coins placed in the local banks during National Coin Week. — MRS. ESTHER WHISLER, Sec.-Treas.

The **West Frederick Junior High School** in Frederick, Md. will be the scene of the fourth annual show of the **Catoctin Coin Club**, A.N.A. 44373, on April 24-25. Albert L. Eyler, Sr., Frederick, Md. 21701, is the general chairman and may be contacted for information about the show. A limit of 22 has been set on the number of bourse tables at \$30 each. There will be three trophies for awarding to the outstanding exhibits. Admission to the show will be free and lunches will be available in the school. The secretary may be contacted at 504 Trail Ave., Frederick, Md. 21701. — FRANK R. JOY, Sec.

The **South Shore Coin Club**, A.N.A. 48087, invites everyone in the Milwaukee, Wis., area to its second annual show on April 25. It will be held in St. Roman Parish Hall, South 20th and Bolivar Ave., with doors open from 1 p.m. to 8 p.m. Walter Weis has volunteered again to be chairman, and Robert Korosec, 2439 S. 93rd St., West Allis, Wis., has charge of the 25 bourse tables at \$10 each. — JEROME HORZEWSKI, Pres.

The **North Texas and Southern Oklahoma Coin Association** held its annual

meeting and election of officers on January 15 in Wichita Falls, Texas. Present on the occasion were 23 directors and officers, representing the 9 member clubs in the two states. Officers elected were: President J. H. McClung, Vice Presidents Marvin Dabbs and Claude Wallace, and Secretary-Treasurer T. L. O'Steen of Vernon, Texas. It was voted to donate \$50 from the Association's funds to the A.N.A. building fund. The annual coin show is scheduled for June 12-13 in Maskat Shrine Temple in Wichita Falls.

The **East Los Angeles Coin Club**, A.N.A. 49921, met on January 18 with 70 present who enjoyed a talk by Bob Gamble on U.S. currency. Bob told us many interesting facts about collecting paper money, starting with the statement that, as in collecting coins, most items must be purchased as but few can be had from circulation. This is partly because, especially in the case of small denominations, notes wear out rapidly. Grading is not as exact as with coins, to some extent the result of no exact definitions and standards. He pointed out some of the special issues of paper money such as the 1896 educational series that is famous for the degree of art work which required the services of six or more engravers. More recent special issues were the brown seal notes with "HAWAII" surcharge used in the Islands during WW II, and the yellow seal silver certificates of the same period used in Europe and North Africa by U.S. forces. Bob pointed out that the average life of a \$1 note is about 9 months, and that it costs the government about 1¢ to produce each note, which is cut and burned when no longer fit for circulation. He feels that there is more historical information to be learned from the study of paper money than coins. Touching on counterfeiting, he told of German counterfeiters of English notes that were so perfect as to threaten the English Government with bankruptcy. Display Chairman Ray Whyborn explained the point system that will be used in judging future displays. Guests are welcomed to our meetings the third Monday monthly in Carpenter's Hall at 932 S. Gerhart Ave. in Los Angeles. — LILA M. BARRETT, Corr. Sec.

The **Calgary (Alberta) Coin Association**, A.N.A. 29794, held its January 9 meeting at MacDougall School and elected the following 1965 executives: President Lawrence Hall, Vice Presidents Bill Wolley-Dod and John Wendeborn, Secretary Corrine (Mrs.) L'Herauld, Treasurer Eric Clarke, and Librarian Albert Kaiser. After much discussion on 1965 mint sets, the meeting passed a motion favoring the building of a second Canadian mint in Alberta. — D. J. MCRTICHEL, Reporter

At its final meeting of 1964, the **Rock-Atomics Coin Club**, A.N.A. 34896, voted to retain President John Murphy for a second term. Other officers for 1965 include Vice President Walter Kidd, Secretary Charles Payne, Treasurer Bill Bidermann, and Board Members Richard Eggleston, Robert Hart, Samuel Leavitt and Clark Shockey. Payne won the annual trophy for the best display with his U.S. type set of 110 coins showing changes in designs. Guest speaker at the meeting was Karl Brainard, presi-

dent of **Numismatic Association of Southern California**. — CHARLES T. PAYNE, Sec.

The **Rockford Area Coin Club**, A.N.A. 27424, announces that its annual spring show will be held May 16 at the Faust Hotel. Ralph Winquist, 1004 "C" St., Rockford, Ill. will be the chairman. — GLADYS WHITFORD, Sec.

The **McHenry County Coin Club**, A.N.A. 39836, will hold its fourth annual show May 16 from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the Bowl Hi Lanes, Huntley, Ill. Wm. Blaksley, 9613 Main St., Hebron, Ill. is the chairman and may be contacted for information. — D. KENDRICK

Peggy Borgolte, secretary of NASC, was speaker of the evening at the January 21 meeting of **Bay Cities Coin Club**, A.N.A. 10700. She gave a most interesting talk on Picayune coins which are 18th century Spanish coins that are seldom found in this country. Immediate Past President Slim Dunbar turned the gavel over to the new president, Jim Betton. Other 1965 officers are: Vice President Ben Abelson; Secretary Claire Abelson; Treasurer Ed Hallett; and Governors Herb Adams, Herman Brod, Thelma Case, Myron McClaffin and Slim Dunbar. Plans are being made to celebrate our 21st anniversary, at which we'd like to see all of our old members and welcome new ones. — CLAIRE R. ABELSON, Sec.

Last year the **Oxford Coin Club**, A.N.A. 51060, held a very successful show in Wellington, Kansas, and we extend an invitation to all who attended to come to this year's show. It will be held at the 4-H Building April 3-4, under the direction of Chairman Thomas E. Hill, 1418 E. Douglas, Wichita, Kansas. Our 1965 officers are: President Marion D. Rodman, Vice President Delos Shore, Secretary J. F. Skinnell, Treasurer Myrnu C. Morton, and Librarian Dorothy Rush. We have about sixty active members who try to promote the interests of numismatics. — J. F. SKINNELL

Charter Member C. A. Dunbar installed the new officers of **Torrance Coin Club** at the January meeting. Mrs. Clara Dykes took over the president's gavel and announced her committee chairman. Other officers are: Vice Presidents George Finnell and Lloyd Hill; Treasurer Wayne Dennis; Recording Secretary Virginia Dennis; Corresponding Secretary Mrs. Arthur Almeida; Sergeant-at-Arms Ben Hoogkirk; and Governors Foster Hall, Jack Strausberg, Kenneth Kramp, Floyd Maddox, Philip Faulkner and Dr. C. C. Ryan. Displays included religious medals by Minerva Axelrod, President Kennedy medals by H. E. Hart, wooden nickels by Wayne Dennis, and presidential spoons by the secretary, who won the exhibit prize. Special donations were made to the Club's treasury by Fred Sinn and Carl Grall. — MRS. ARTHUR ALMEIDA, Corr. Sec.

The **Sheboygan Coin Club**, Stamp Club, and Junior Clubs will hold their fourth annual stamp and coin Jamboree April 25 at the Turner Hall on 8th Street in Sheboygan, Wis. The purpose of this event is to promote good will and a better understanding of the many facets of collecting. The public is cordially in-

vited and urged to bring youngsters. Admission is free; there is lots of parking space, restaurant and recreational facilities are nearby, and motel accommodations are within four blocks of the hall. There will be a bourse of both coin and stamp dealers. Further information may be had from H. A. Mahlendorf, 2030 N. 13th St., Sheboygan, Wis. 53081. — E. J. WEIHER, Publ. Chm.

The **Shreveport Coin Club**, A.N.A. 37869, recently held its installation banquet at the Caddo Lake Inn. The new officers are: President Ken Harvey; Vice President Bernie Payton; Secretary-Treasurer Opal (Mrs.) Hayes; Auctioneer Jack Payton; and Directors R. J. Bernard, Clyde A. Parker, N. I. Yates, J. M. Avery, H. J. Cangelose, R. D. Hall, Eugene J. Hemard and Hank Rodgers. A feature of the evening was the showing of a film recently made by the Lakeview Methodist Church of the men's beauty contest. One of the featured "lovelies" was Queen Nicalene (Nelson Haney) who received a trophy as Miss Congeniality. Ava Setzer presented a program at a recent meeting on "Medals in Numismatics" and displayed two cases

of her prize winning exhibit. Our meetings are held the first Thursday monthly in the Civic Center and the third Thursday at the Caddo Hotel. — AVA SETZER, Publ. Chm.

The fifth annual Cumberland Valley coin show will be held May 22 by The **Friendly Coin Club of Chambersburg**, A.N.A. 42701. It will be open to all without admission charge from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. in the Recreation Center on South Third Street in Chambersburg, Pa. Exhibits, bourse tables and prizes will be featured, but there will be no auction. General Chairman Harold Soltenberger may be contacted at the Club's P.O. Box 158, Chambersburg, Pa. — ROBERT E. DINTERMAN, Bourse Chm.

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Executive Secretary's Report

Applications 53639 to 53847 as published in the January issue have been admitted to membership, except R-53765.

APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

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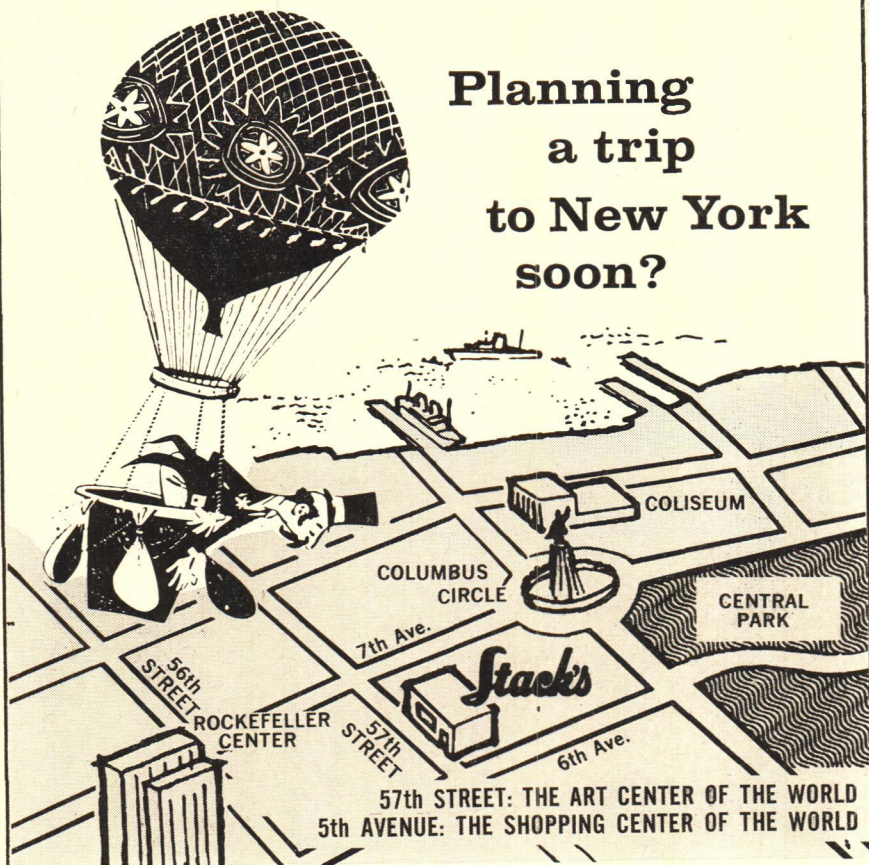
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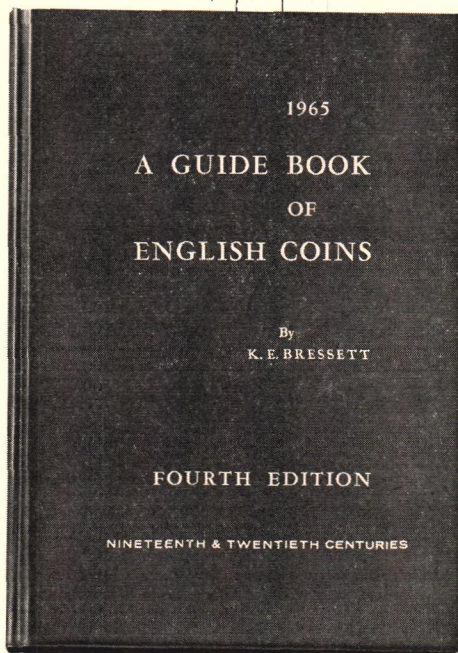
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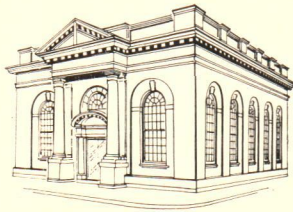
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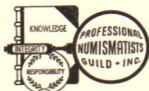
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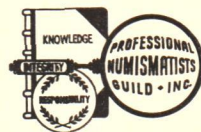
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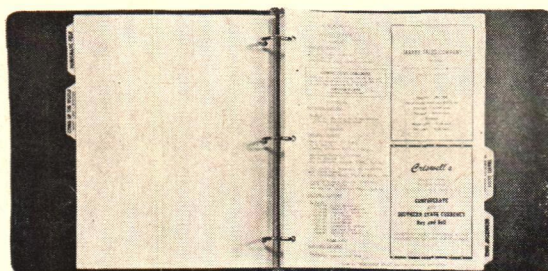
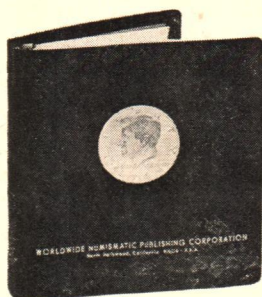
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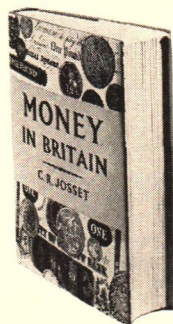
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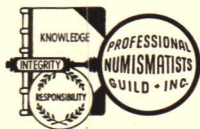
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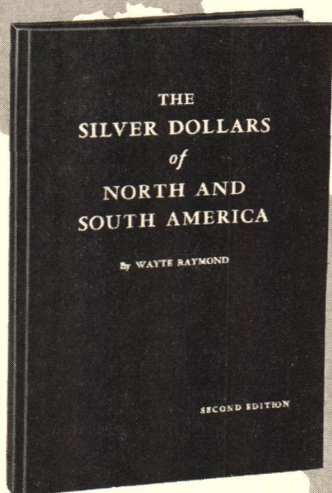


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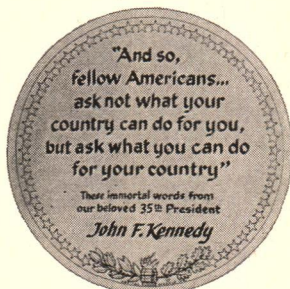
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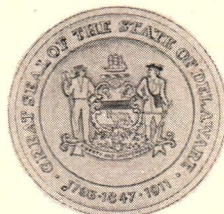
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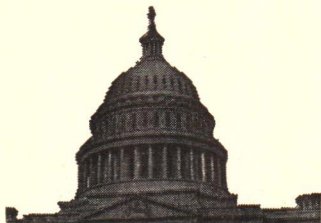
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1938 Arkansas PSD set	60.00	77.50	1938 Texas set	100.00	132.50
1939 Arkansas PSD set	280.00	349.50	B. T. WASHINGTON TYPE		
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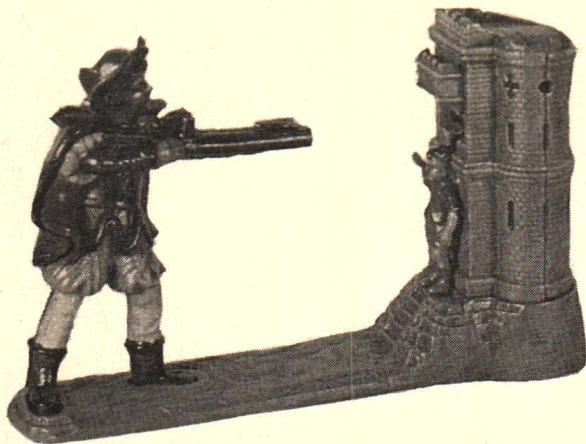
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S10	AF		325.00	S132	VG		95.00	S245	G		10.00
S10	AG		85.00	S134	G/Fr		17.50	S245	VF 20		45.00
S11c	Fr		75.00	S135	Dbl. Strike			S246	F		25.00
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S13	AG		75.00	MS70		750.00		S247	F+		50.00
S13	VG/AG		425.00	S137	F+		45.00	S247	VF 25		80.00
S13	G/Fr		275.00	S138	F+/AF		35.00	S248	AVF		60.00
1794		1798		S208	AF		30.00	S249	VF 20		55.00
S22	No Mounds			S209	VF 35		135.00	S250	VF 25		55.00
S23	VF/F		85.00	S211	VF 20		60.00	S251	VF 35		50.00
S23	Perfect Obv.			S212	AVF		65.00	S252	Perfect Obv.		
S24	F+		395.00	S145	G/AG		10.00	S255	G		6.75
S24	VF 35		195.00	S146b	F		100.00	S256	VF 20		45.00
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S26	F+		150.00	dents VF20		40.00		S258	G		8.50
S26	VF 25		115.00	S150	AF		90.00	S258	VF 25		40.00
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S76A	AF		120.00	S169	AVF		100.00	VF 25		97.50	
S76A	VG/blank		37.50	G		15.00		VF 20		72.50	
1796		1800		S170	VF 20		75.00	F+		50.00	
S82	F/VG+		90.00	AF		40.00		F		32.50	
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09-VDB ..	5.50	45.00	55.00	1921-P ...	3.75	4.75	37.50	1935-S ...	1.75	2.00	4.25
1909-P ...	5.50	6.00	12.75	1921-S ...	22.50	26.50	69.50	1935-D ...	1.75	2.00	4.50
1909-S ...	\$1.135	\$1.165	\$1.465	1922-D ...	132.50	....	....	1936-S ...	3.50	3.75	5.75
1910-P ...	2.25	2.75	11.75	1923-P ...	2.00	2.25	6.75	1936-D ...	2.25	2.75	4.75
1910-S ...	....	....	197.50	1923-S ...	37.50	47.50	147.50	1937-S ...	2.50	2.75	3.75
1911-P ...	2.75	5.75	24.50	1924-P ...	1.75	2.00	6.50	1937-D ...	1.75	2.00	2.75
1911-S ...	375.00	395.00	625.00	1924-S ...	27.50	29.50	77.50	1938-S ...	15.50	15.75	18.75
1911-D ...	67.50	....	....	1924-D ...	495.00	595.00	825.00	1938-D ...	12.50	13.00	15.75
1912-P ...	5.75	....	....	1925-P ...	1.25	1.50	4.75	1939-S ...	1.50	1.75	2.75
1912-S ...	217.50	227.50	375.00	1925-S ...	4.50	5.50	19.75	1939-D ...	28.50	29.50	32.50
1912-D ...	74.50	....	....	1925-D ...	7.25	9.00	27.50				
1913-P ...	5.50	....	....	1926-P ...	1.25	1.50	2.75				
1913-S ...	127.50	137.50	235.00	1926-S ...	199.50	207.50	337.50				
1913-D ...	38.00	55.00	....	1926-D ...	6.25	8.25	24.50				
1914-P ...	4.00	7.75	32.50	1927-P ...	1.25	1.50	2.75				
1914-S ...	237.50	247.50	345.00	1927-S ...	16.75	18.75	39.50				
1915-P ...	29.50	....	....	1927-D ...	4.75	5.75	9.75				
1915-S ...	....	199.50	265.00	1928-P ...	1.25	1.50	2.75				
1915-D ...	29.50	33.50	65.00	1928-S ...	8.75	9.75	24.50				
1916-P ...	2.25	2.75	9.75	1928-D ...	3.75	5.75	8.75				
1916-S ...	23.50	26.50	49.50	1929-P ...	1.25	1.50	2.75				
1916-D ...	7.75	....	49.50	1929-S ...	1.75	2.00	3.75				
1917-P ...	1.50	1.75	7.50	1929-D ...	1.75	2.00	3.75				
1917-S ...	5.75	6.75	19.50	1930-P ...	1.25	1.50	2.75				
1917-D ...	5.25	7.25	32.50	1930-S ...	3.75	4.25	6.75				
1918-P ...	1.50	1.75	7.50	1930-D ...	2.50	3.00	5.50				
1918-S ...	5.50	6.50	19.50	1931-P ...	13.75	14.75	22.75				
1918-D ...	5.25	7.75	34.50	1931-S ...	....	\$1.495	\$1.695				
1919-P ...	1.25	1.50	3.50	1931-D ...	....	187.50	235.00				
1919-S ...	2.25	2.50	....	1932-P ...	....	47.50	57.50				
1919-D ...	2.25	2.50	26.50	1932-D ...	....	29.50	32.50				
1920-P ...	1.25	1.50	4.50	1933-P ...		26.50	29.50				
1920-S ...	3.50	4.00	19.50	1933-D ...		127.50	147.50				
1920-D ...	3.25	5.75	34.50	1934-D ...		8.75	9.75				

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1938-S ..	99.75	112.50	1942-D ..	8.75	12.75	1945-S ..	2.85	3.85	1951-S ..	22.50	26.50
1938-D ..	47.50	57.50	1942-S ..	4.00		1945-D ..	3.50		1952-S ..	2.50	3.00
1939-S ..	33.50	43.50	1943-P ..	2.80	3.80	1946-S ..	4.50	5.75	1952-D ..	2.75	3.75
1939-D ..	225.00	....	1943-S ..	2.85	3.85	1947-S ..	2.50	3.00	1953-S ..	2.65	3.25
1940-S ..	2.50	3.50	1943-D ..	18.75		1948-S ..	6.50	7.75	1954-S ..	2.50	3.00
1941-S ..	2.50	3.50	1944-D ..	3.50	5.50	1949-S ..	9.75	11.75	1955-P ..	28.50	32.50

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1947-S ..	5.95	6.95	1949-S ..	22.50	27.50	1952-S ..	5.95	6.95	1955-S ..	11.75	15.75
1948-S ..	5.95	6.95	1949-D ..	5.75	6.75	1953-S ..	5.95	6.95	1955-D ..	13.50	19.50
1948-D ..	5.95	6.95	1950-S ..	8.75	10.75	1954-S ..	6.50	7.50	1961-P ..		5.95

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Liberty 5¢, Fair	4.95	1928-S Dimes, VG	16.75	1948-D 50¢ VG-VF	17.75
Liberty 5¢, G-VG	6.50	1928-S Dimes, F-VF	28.50	1949-S 50¢ VG-VF	19.75
Buffalo 5¢, G-VG	3.25	1929-S Dimes, VG	12.75	1949-D 50¢ VG-VF	14.75
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1911 P	10.00	1922 D	60.00	1934 P	4.00
1911 S	85.00	1923 P	9.50	1934 D	15.00
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1912 P	13.50	some carbon ..	150.00	1935 D	3.00
1912 S	55.00	1924 P	20.00	1935 S	4.00
1912 D	60.00	1924 S	120.00	1936 P	1.00
1913 P	13.00	1924 D	250.00	1936 D	2.00
1913 S	70.00	1925 P	8.50	1936 S	3.00
1913 D	70.00	1925 S	60.00	1937 P	1.00
1914 P	40.00	1925 D	25.00	1937 D	1.25
1914 D (GEM) ..	650.00	1926 P	7.00	1937 S	2.50
1914 S	125.00	1926 S	200.00	1938 P	1.50
1915 P	90.00	1926 D	40.00	1938 D	3.75
1915 D	30.00	1927 P	6.00	1938 S	4.50
1915 S	65.00	1927 S	45.00	1939 P	1.00
1916 P	9.00	1927 D	45.00	1939 D	6.00
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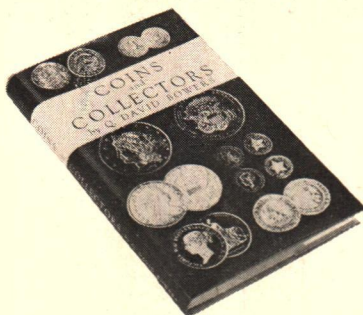
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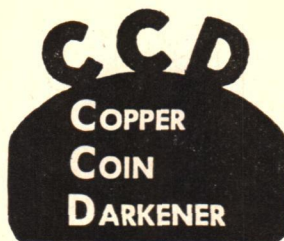
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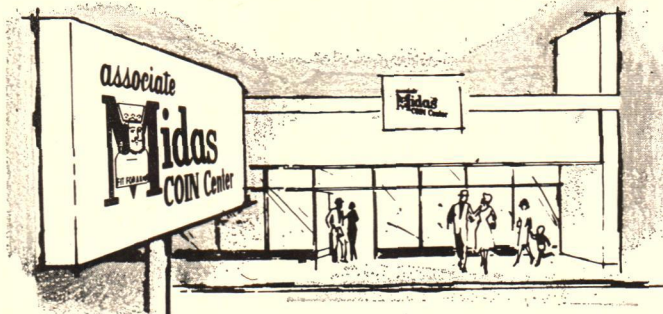
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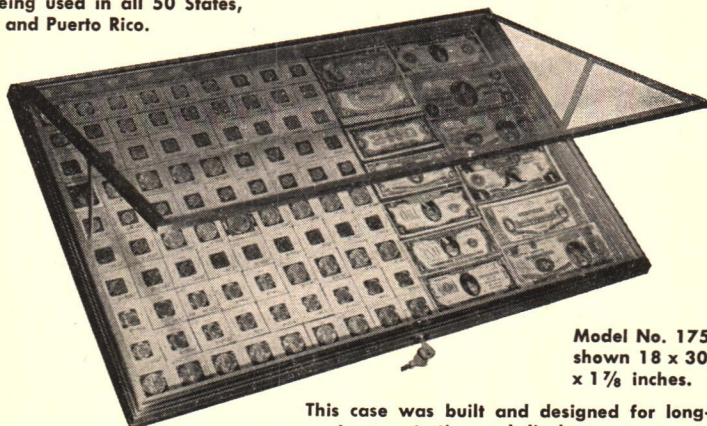
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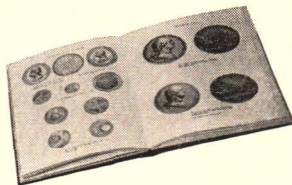
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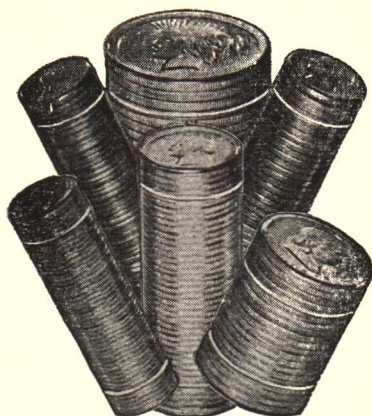


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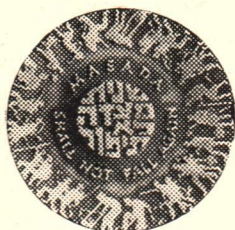
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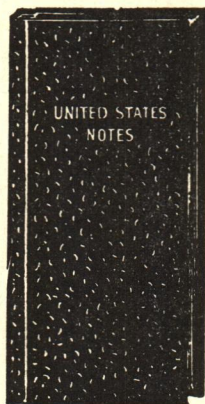
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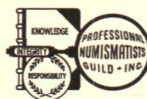
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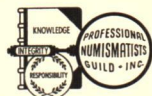


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